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OR,

An Impartial Abſtract of the moſt Remarkable Tranſactions, and the moſt conſiderable Occurrences, both Civil and Military, Domeſtick and Foreign, and particularly of all Promotions, during the Fifth Year of the Reign of His Majeſty King *GEORGE*.

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King GEORGE.

FIFTH YEAR.

1718. August 1. THIS Day (being the Anniversary of His Majesty's Accession to the Crown of these Kingdoms) was celebrated with all Demonstrations of Joy suitable to so happy an Occasion.

6. Dy'd Mr. *Goodal* a Proctor in *Doctor's-Commons*.

A Fire broke out in *Prince's-Island* at *Wapping*, which consum'd some Houses, and damag'd many others.

The Reverend Mr. *Lewis* (Chaplain to the Earl of *Carlisle*) appointed Rector of the *New Church* in the *Strand*.

Auguſt 6. *William Dowdeſwel* of *Po'e-Court* in the Count of *Worceſter*, Eſq; marry'd to Mrs. *Ham mond*.

A Patent paſs'd the Seals for granting a Pen ſion of 2000 *l. per Annum* to the Counteſ of *Portland* Governeſs to the young Prin ceſſes.

7. Count *de Provana* (the King of *Sicily*'s Mini ſter) arriv'd at *London* from *Paris*.

General *Palmes* appointed His Majeſty's Envo Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to th King of *Poland*.

Seignior *Ré* Secretary to the Duke of *Parm* had a Private Audience of His Majeſty a *Kenſington*, and delivered to His Majeſty Letter from His Highneſs, notifying th Death of the Princeſs *Elizabeth Farne* His Highneſs's Siſter.

14. Dy'd Sir *Thomas Dunke* of this City, Knt.

15. Dy'd the Viſcount *Dunbar* of the Kingdom *Scotland*.

19. Dy'd Sir *Edward Longueville* Bart. of a Fa from his Horſe.

About this time dy'd the Lady of Sir *Ba Dixwell*.

25. Seignior *Florelli* Secretary of the Republick *Venice*, had a Private Audience of the Kin in which he delivered to His Majeſty a Le ter from the moſt Serene Republick, an in the Name of the Senate, thank'd H Majeſty for the good Offices done for th Republick by His Majeſty's Plenipotentia at the Congreſs of *Paſſarowitz*, in t Negotiation of Peace with the *Turks*.

About this time, the Commiſſion for the D ty on Hides, *&c.* was ſuppreſs'd by H Majeſty's Command, and that part of t Reven

August 25. Revenue was committed to the Care of the Commissioners of the Excise, who, upon this Account, had 200 *l. per Annum* each added to their Salaries.

Charles Charnock Esq; made Judge-Advocate of *Placentia* in *America*.

Thomas Robinson Esq; made Keeper of the Books of Entry of all Ships coming to the Port of *London*.

Dy'd the Honourable *Charles Howard* Esq; third Son of the Earl of *Suffolk*.

28. Dy'd the Lady of Sir *John-Hynde Cotton* Bart.

One hundred and six Convicts, order'd for Transportation, were shipp'd off for His Majesty's Plantations.

29. A Whale forty Foot long taken below *Gravesend*.

31. Dr. *Linford* made Sub-Almoner to His Majesty, in the room of Dr. *Cannon* Vicar of *Christ-Church*.

Foreign Affairs.

His Czarish Majesty caused *Myn Heer Van Bie* the *Dutch* Resident at his Court, to be confin'd, and his Papers seiz'd, on pretence he had intermeddled with His Majesty's Domestick Concerns, and made wrong Representations of the Differences between him and his Son.

About this time, General *Wrangel* was appointed Governor of *Brussels*.

Prince *Philip* (one of the younger Sons of the Elector) of *Bavaria*, was, by the Bishop

Auguſt. and Chapter of *Munſter*, elected Coadjut
of that Biſhoprick.
Duke of *Wirtemberg*'s Daughter-in-Law broug
-to Bed of a Prince, to whom the States
Holland (being deſir'd) ſtood Godfathers
On the 24th Inſtant, the young King of *Fra*
held the Bench of Juſtice, and ſat in Pe
ſon ſupreme Judge, when ſeveral Affairs
Importance were decided by His Majeſty.

Septemb. 7. Mr. *Fitzgerald.* who had been one of t
Clerks of the Houſe of Lords Thir
Years, dy'd about this time.

9. Captain *Lennard*, who had been ſome Mont
in Cuſtody, was try'd on an Indictment
High-Treaſon at the Aſſizes held at *Lanc*
ſter, and acquitted; as were *Robert Sca*
brick and *Thomas Aſhton*, Eſqrs; But
Appeal was order'd againſt Captain *Le*
nard.

12. Dy'd the Earl of *Suffolk* and *Bindon*, Depu
Earl-Marſhal.

14. Dy'd Sir *Timothy Lannoy* Knt. an eminent *T*
ky Merchant.

15. The Parliament met, and was farther pr
rogued to the 11th of *November* following

16. Dy'd Sir *Philip Meadows* Senior, Knt. Ag
Ninety-four.

18. *James Cocks* Eſq; marry'd to the Lady *E*
zabeth Newport eldeſt ſurviving Daugh
of the Right Honourable *Richard* Earl
Bradford.

19. Dy'd her Grace the Ducheſs of *Roxburgh.*

26. The Lord *Onſlow* choſen Governor of t
Company for Inſuring Ships.
Gerard Ruſſel Eſq; made Governor of t
Ports and Forts of *Tarmouth.*

Dr. *Shipp*

Sept. 26. Dr. *Shippen* Principal of *Brazen-Nose College* in *Oxford*, chosen Vice-Chancellor of that Univerſity.

Dy'd *William Okeden* Eſq; Member of Parliament for *Corfe-Caſtle* in the County of *Dorſet*.

William Phipps Eſq; Son of Sir *Conſtantine Phipps*, marry'd to the Lady *Catherine Anneſley* only Daughter of *James* Earl of *Angleſea*.

29. Sir *John Ward* elected Lord-Mayor of the City of *London*.

A Proclamation publiſh'd for Summoning the Parliament to meet on the 11th of *November*, for the Diſpatch of divers weighty and important Affairs.

The ſame Day the Parish-Church of *Greenwich* (having been lately rebuilt) was conſecrated with great Ceremony by the Biſhop of *Rocheſter*.

Foreign Affairs.

The Landtgrave of *Heſſe-Caſſel* having reſolv'd to evacuate the Caſtle of *Rhinfelts*, the Garriſon was employ'd in carrying out the Arms, Ammunition, *&c.* in order to its being put into the Landtgrave of *Heſſe-Rhinfelt*'s Poſſeſſion.

On the 14th Inſtant, the Empreſs was Brought to Bed of an Arch-Ducheſs, to whom Prince *Eugene* ſtood Godfather.

This Month the Populace of *Bayonne*, to the Number of 8000, being drawn together, advanc'd to *Begogne*, where dwelt one of the chief Gentlemen of the Province, who had

September. had been sent Deputy to *Madrid* to ple
for their Privileges, whom they murder
plundered and burnt his House, and so
others near it: From whence they pr
ceeded to *Bilboa*, with a Design to sei
the Officers of the Customs; but the
made their Escape. They plunder'd t
Custom-house, and burnt it, together wi
ten or twelve private Houses, and kill
seven or eight People, on pretence t
King had depriv'd them of their Priv
leges.

At *Brussels* much about the same time, Fo
or Five hundred of the Rabble got tog
ther and pulled down some Publick Hou
near the Chappel of *Notre Dame*; but t
Governor having timely Notice of th
Commotion, such effectual Methods we
us'd, as entirely quell'd them in a fe
Hours, after about thirty or forty of the
had been cut to pieces by the Dragoon
who immediately fell upon them Swo
in Hand.

Mr. *Shallet* the *British* Consul at *Barcelon*
who had been under an Arrest, set at L
berty.

October 2. *John Manley* Esq; made Customer of *Cheste*
and Receiver-General of *North-Wales*,
the room of Mr. *Gratwick*.

3. Marquis *de Monteleone* Ambassador of *Spa*
nor'd to the Ministers of State, th
he had receiv'd Orders from the King h
Master, to return Home.

Dr. *Bentley* Master of *Trinity College* in *Ca*
bridge, and Regius-Professor of Divini
in that University, was suspended *ab om*
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October 3. *Gradu suscepto*, for his Contempt of the Jurisdiction of the University, and the Vice-chancellor's Authority.

4. Mr. *Wortley Mountague* return'd from his Embassy at the *Ottoman* Port.

5. Countess of *Sunderland* Brought to Bed of a Son.

Lady *Castlemain* was likewise Brought to Bed of a Son.

Dy'd the Lady *Rose* at *Chester*, in her Way to *London* from *Ireland*.

6. Dy'd _____ *Plunket* Esq; of *Bloomsbury-Square*, in the Ninety-fourth Year of his Age.

7. Dy'd Vice-Admiral *Cornwall* at *Lisbon*.

9. Sir *John Prat* Knt. Lord Chief Justice of the Court of *King's-Bench*, sworn one of His Majesty's most Honourable Privy-Council.

Dy'd Dr. *Cumberland* Bishop of *Peterborough*.

James Jeffreys Esq; appointed by His Majesty Resident at the Court of the Czar of *Muscovy*.

11. Dy'd the Lady *Lawley*.

13. This Day the Ratifications of the Treaty sign'd at *London* the 22d of *July* last, between the Emperor, His *Britannick* Majesty, and the most Christian King, were mutually exchang'd by the several Parties concern'd.

14. Mr. *Stone* Under-Warden of the *Fleet*, dropp'd down Dead as he was coming out of the *Inner-Temple-Hall*.

Colonel *Lambard* Governor of *Tilbury-Fort* marry'd to Mrs. *Fowler*.

17. Dr. *Bentley* was, in a full Senate of the University of *Cambridge*, declared to be *dejectus & exclusus ab omni Gradu, Jure, & Titulo*, by a Majority of 108 Voices against

October 18. Lady *Townshend* Brought to Bed of a Son.

19. Dy'd *James Lockhart* of *Lee*, Esq; one of th Commissioners of the Equivalent, an Member of Parliament for the Shire o *Lanerk* in *North-Britain*.

20. This being the Anniversary of His Majesty' Coronation, was observ'd with all usua Demonstrations of Joy, *&c.*

Dy'd *John Bromley* Esq; Knight of the Shir for *Cambridge*.

His Majesty's Picture was this Day set up i the *Guild-hall* of *London*.

22. Lady *Brook* Brought to Bed of a Son.

Dy'd *Richard Mytton* Esq;

One *Bowes* was taken into Custody for prop sing to go to *Italy* and Assassinate the *Pr tender*.

23. Sir *Stafford Fairborn's* Lady Brought to B of a Son.

Dr. *Ayliffe* appointed one of the Commi sioners for Licensing Hawkers, *&c.* in t room of *Thomas Jervoise* Esq;

Francis Stratford Esq; appointed Consul the *English* Nation at *Bourdeaux*.

Dy'd Dr. *Brookes*.

24. Lord *Harborough* of the Kingdom of *Irela* created Viscount *Sherrard* in the County *Leicester*.

25. His Majesty return'd from *Hampton-Court* St. *James's*.

Dy'd the Lady *Mary Stuart* Daughter to t Earl of *Murray*.

The four Regiments of Dragoons of *Hotha Tyrrel*, *Stanhope*, and *Molesworth*, broke *England*; and the Regiments of Dragoo of *Newton* and *Croft's*, with those of Fo of *Hales*, *Pocock*, *Ferrars*, *Nassau*, *Dubo*

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October 25. *gay*, and *Armstrong* in *Ireland*. At the same time, two Regiments of Dragoons, and six of Foot were taken off from the *British* Establishment and sent to *Ireland*, to replace the like Number broke in that Kingdom. The Regiments sent to *Ireland* were the Dragoons of *Bowles* and *Munden* and the Regiments of Foot, of *Sabine*, *Preston*, *Shannon*, *Hinchinbroke*, *Egerton*, and *Handasyde*.

The Prince and Princess of *Wales* return'd from *Richmond* to *Leicester-Square*.

29. Sir *John Norris* with a Squadron of ten Men of War arriv'd at the *Nore* from the *Baltick*.

About this time, the Lord-Mayor and Aldermen of *London* attended His Majesty with a Petition, requesting that the Subscribing a Declaration against the Solemn League and Covenant, might be hereafter disregarded.

About this time dy'd *Thomas Strode* Esq;

Mr. *Selwyn* Vice Chamberlain to the Princess of *Wales*, marry'd to Mrs. *Houblon*.

Earl of *Bindon* appointed Lord-Lieutenant of the County of *Essex*.

31. The respective Convocations of *Canterbury* and *York*, which stood prorogued to this Day, were farther prorogued to the 20th of *February* following.

Humphrey Wild and *Richard Morgan*, Housebreakers, quarrelling about their Booty at a House in St. *Giles's*, *Morgan* stabb'd the other with a Pen-knife, of which he instantly dy'd; for which *Morgan* was committed to *Newgate*.

Foreign

Foreign Affairs.

October. On the 14th Instant, The States of the Pro vinces of *Groninghen* declared the youn Prince of *Nassau-Orange*, who is abou Eight Years old, their Stadtholder an Captain-General, with all the Prerogative that were enjoy'd by his Predecessors; an he was on the 15th Instant install'd at *Gr ninghen* with all the Ceremonies usual o that Occasion, the Princess his Mother b ing present.

On the 23d Instant, Count *Kinigsegg* the Em peror's Ambassador to the most Christia King, made his Publick Entry at *Paris* wit great Splendor, the King's Coaches, wit those of the Princes and Princesses of th Blood, and others of the Nobility, makin up the Train. His Excellency had fou very fine Coaches drawn by Eight Hors each, Eight Pages on Horseback in yello Velvet embroider'd with Silver, two Swis and twenty-four Footmen in yellow Clot lac'd with Silver. His Excellency was ac company'd by the Marshal *de Tallard*, an had on the 5th a Publick Audience of th King.

About this time the Citadel of *Messina*, whic held out a considerable Time, was oblig to capitulate with the Besiegers.

Myn Heer Van Bie the *Dutch* Resident at th Czar of *Muscovy*'s Court, who had be confin'd and his Papers seiz'd, was di miss'd this Month by His Czarish M jesty.

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October. The Duke of *Saxe-Zeitz*, who last Year turn'd Roman-Catholick, again embrac'd the Protestant Religion.

Novemb. 2. *Edward Boyer* of *Camberwell*, Esq; was found drown'd in a Pond near *Kensington Gravel-Pits*.

Dy'd Captain *Campbell* Commander of the *Winchester* Man of War.

Dr. *Gooch* Master of *Caius* and *Gonvil-College*, again chosen Vice-Chancellor of *Cambridge*.

5. Dy'd Sir *William Oldes* Knt. Gentleman-Usher of the Black-Rod.

John Miller Esq; appointed Receiver-General of the Rents and Revenues of the Crown, within the Counties of *Essex*, *Hertford*, *Middlesex*, *Norfolk*, and *Huntingdon*, for Life, in the room of ——— *Cod* Esq;

Lady *Hinchingbroke* brought to Bed of a Son.

Dy'd *William Johnson* Esq; Governor for the *African* Company on the Coast of *Guinea*.

10. *Anthony de Grey* Earl of *Harold*, eldest Son of the Duke of *Kent*, call'd by Writ to the House of Peers, by the Title of Baron *Lucas*.

Dr. *White Kennet* consecrated Bishop of *Peterborough*.

Dr. *Reynolds* made Dean of the Chapter of the said Cathedral.

Sir *William Sanderson* Knt. appointed Gentleman-Usher of the Black-Rod.

Dy'd Sir *James Bateman* Knt. Member of Parliament for *Eastlow* in *Cornwall*.

Edward Johnson Esq; appointed by the *East-India* Company their Governor at St. *Helena*.

Nov. 11. The Parliament met at *Weſtminſter*, and H Majeſty made a moſt gracious Speech Both Houſes.

12. Dy'd the Lady of Sir *John Fryer*.
Earl of *Berkſhire* declared Deputy Earl-Ma ſhal.

13. Sir *Harcourt Maſters* Knt, choſen Alderm of *Coleman-ſtreet* Ward, in the room Sir *James Bateman* deceas'd.

14. Dy'd Mrs. *Robinſon* Wife of the Biſhop *London*.
Dy'd *William Johnſon* Eſq; Member of Parli ment for *Aldborough* in *Suffolk*.
The Reverend Mr. *Manningham* appoint Chaplain to the Houſe of Commons.
The Marquis of *Annandale* marry'd Mrs. *Van Bendy*.
About this time dy'd Mrs. *Stanhope* of E uaſton in *Derbyſhire*, Mother of

17. *William Stanhope* Eſq; His Majeſty's late E voy Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary *Madrid*, who was appointed to reſide wi the ſame Character at the Court of *Turi*

21. Dy'd Mrs. *St. Leger* Daughter of the late Lo *Mohun*.

25. The Relict of the late Lord *Onſlow* fou drown'd in a Pond at *Croydon* in *Surrey*.
Dy'd Mr. *Brabant* one of the Council of t City of *London*.

27. Earl of *Eſſex* marry'd to the Lady *Jane H* Daughter to the Earl of *Rocheſter*.
About this time, the Lord Viſcount *Fauc berg* dy'd at *Bruſſels*.

28. Dy'd Dr. *Houghton*.

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Foreign Affairs.

November. On the 3d Inſtant dy'd Prince *Maurice* of *Saxe-Zeits.*

On the 7th of this Month the Princeſs *Sobieski*, the *Pretender*'s intended Spouſe, together with her Mother, were ſeized by the Emperor's Order, as they were paſſing through *Inſpruck* in their Way to *Italy.*

On the 30th of this Month *Charles* XII. King of *Sweden* was kill'd by a Muſket-Shot he receiv'd in his Head. as he was viewing one of the Forts of *Frederickſhall* in *Norway.*

About the ſame time dy'd *Mary de St. Bernard* a Nun, of the *Ciſtertian* Order in the Nunnery of *Sancta Maria de Almoſter* in *Portugal*, Aged 124 Years.

Decemb. 2. *Edward Biſſe* Clerk receiv'd Sentence at the *King's-Bench* Bar, to ſtand in the Pillory twice, with this Inſcription, *For Seditious and Treaſonable Preaching*, to be impriſon'd four Years, and to pay a Fine of 600 *l.* and to find Sureties for his good Behaviour during Life, himſelf in 2000 *l.* Penalty, and two Sureties in 1000 *l.* each.

Dy'd Sir *Francis Warre* Bart.

Two Houſes in *Fleet-ſtreet* fell to the Ground, and four Perſons were kill'd by the Fall.

3. His Majeſty granted Letters of Marque and Repriſal againſt the *Spaniards.*

Thomas Tobber Eſq; appointed to ſucceed *John Warter* Eſq; in the Office of Solicitor of the Admiralty.

Decemb. 3. *Francis Shepheard* ſen. Eſq; choſen Sub-Governor of the *South-Sea* Company, in the room of Sir *James Bateman* deceas'd.

6. Dy'd *Nicholas Rowe* Eſq; Poet Laureat.

8. *Jacob-William Harris* (convicted of forging Letters under the Hand of Mr. Secretary *Craggs*, by colour of which he cheated ſeveral Perſons of their Money,) receiv'd Sentence to ſtand in the Pillory, to be impriſon'd ſix Months, and to pay a Fine of twenty Marks.

Major *James Cunningham* appointed Deputy Governor of *Fort-William* at *Inverlochy*, in the room of Sir *William Gordon* deceas'd.

9 A Fire happen'd at *Thrapſton* in *Northamptonſhire*, which conſum'd above Fifty Houſes beſides Barns, *&c.*

11 Dy'd Sir *John Germaine* Knt. and Bart. Member of Parliament for *Totneſs* in *Devonſhire*.

12. His Majeſty gave the Royal Aſſent to

An Act for granting to His Majeſty an Aid by a Land-Tax in Great-Britain, *for the Service of the Year* 1719.

An Act for Continuing the Duties on Malt, Mum, Cyder, and Perry, for the Service of the Year 1719. *and for Enlarging the Time for Entring at the Exchequer ſuch Aſſignments of Reverſionary Annuities as are therein mentioned; and for better ſecuring the Duties on Hides and Skins, Vellum and Parchment.*

Upon the humble Repreſentation of the Dean and Prebendaries of *Weſtminſter* to His Majeſty, that the Royal School there was in danger of Falling, His Majeſty was graciouſly pleas'd to order 1000 *l.* out of the Privy Purſe towards Rebuilding the ſame.

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Dec. 13. Lord *Forbes* embarqued for the *Mediterranean*, in order to command the Imperial Fleet.

About this time dy'd the Lord *Langdale*.

Carleton Goddard Eſq; appointed Land-Surveyor of the Cuſtoms, in the room of *Nicholas Rowe* Eſq; deceas'd.

15. Dy'd *Charles* Lord *Paſton*.

Dr. *Waugh*, Dr. *Trimnel*, Honourable Mr. *Egerton*, Mr. *Talbot*, Mr. *Bull*, and Mr. *Franks* appointed Chaplains to His Majeſty, in the room of Doctors *Bradford*, *Kennet*, *Moſs*, *Goudge*, *Bridges*, and *Inett*.

17. War declar'd againſt *Spain*.

——— *Pennyfeather* Eſq; made Receiver-General of *Ireland*, in the room of *Euſtace Bugdell* Eſq;

Lord *Archibald Hamilton* marry'd to the Widow of Sir *Francis Hamilton*.

Dy'd Mrs. *Cecil*, Mother of Mrs. *Coke* Wife of Mr. Vice-Chamberlain *Coke*.

Laurence Elliot Eſq; marry'd to the Lady *Baltimore*.

19. *Alexander Jacobs* Eſq; made Lieutenant-Colonel of the Lord *Hinchingbroke*'s Regiment of Foot.

22. Dy'd Sir *Joſhua Sharpe* Brother to the late Arch-Biſhop of *York*.

Sir *Robert Fagg* Bart. And

Dr. *Briggs* Profeſſor of Law at *Greſham-College*.

Mr. *Jackſon* made Collector of the Cuſtoms at *Newcaſtle*, in the room of Mr. *Iſaacſon*.

A Proclamation publiſh'd for prolonging the Time of the coming in of Pirates to take the Benefit of His Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon, from the 5th of *September* 1718. to the 1ſt of *July* 1715.

Dec. 24. Mr. *Langton* Deputy of *Tower* Ward found dead in his Bed.

John Knight Esq; appointed Secretary of the *Leeward-Islands*.

Brigadier-General *Bowles* marry'd to Mrs. *Robinson*.

Dy'd Sir *John Chichester* Bart. of *Yoneston* in the County of *Devon*.

26. Dy'd Sir *Thomas Tyrrel* Bart. of *Thornton* in the County of *Bucks*.

Dy'd likewise *John Noel* Esq;

27. Dy'd the Lady of Sir *Richard Steele* Knt.

31. Dy'd *Charles Dent* Esq; one of the Commissioners for the Duties on Salt.

Foreign Affairs.

On the 9th Instant, the Prince *de Cellamare* Ambassador of *Spain* to the most Christian King, was put under a Guard in his own House, and his Papers seiz'd, upon the said Ambassador's inciting the *French* King's Subjects to a Revolt, which was discover'd by a Packet intercepted which the Prince *de Cellamare* had entrusted to a Person who was going to *Spain*.

On the 7th Instant, Baron *Heems* the Imperial Minister at the *Hague*, died there much lamented by all that knew him for his eminent Qualities.

On the 11th Instant, the Convention between His Imperial and Catholick Majesty and the States-General, for the Execution of the Barrier-Treaty, was sign'd by the several Parties concern'd.

A Mag

December. A Magazine of 400 Barrels of Gun-powder which had newly been laid up in a Tower at *Corfu*, was ſet on Fire by Lightning, and blew up almoſt all the old Fortreſs, where the Captain-General *Piſani* lodged, who, with all that were in the Palace with him, periſhed. The Number of the Dead and Hurt was computed to be 1400.

About this time all the Ships and Cargoes belonging to the Subjects of *Great-Britain*, brought into the Ports of *Denmark*, were ſet at Liberty.

The Biſhop of *Munſter* dy'd on the 25th Inſtant at *Ahus*.

ANNO 1719.

1719. January 1 THis Day His Majeſty receiv'd the Compliments of the Nobility, Foreign Miniſters, *&c.*

A Proclamation publiſh'd, commanding all Seamen, Subjects of *Great-Britain*, and in the Service of foreign Princes or States, to return home.

Mr. *Macroe* choſen Keeper of the Univerſity Library at *Cambridge*.

4 Dy'd Sir *John Lethueillier* Knt. Aged Ninety Years.

Dy'd likewiſe *Samuel Shepheard* ſen. Eſq;

Lady *Paget* Brought to Bed of a Son and Daughter.

5. Dy'd the Earl of *Kinoul*.

Dy'd Sir *Richard Hoare* Knt.

7. Dy'd the Lady of Sir *Francis Molyneaux*.

Dy'd

January 7. Dy'd Sir *John Wynne* Knt. and Bart.
Commadore *Hardy* ſail'd with the Store Ships, *&c.* for the *Mediterranean.*
Dy'd Mr. *Hymans* Yeoman of the Wine-Cellar.
Dy'd *Robert Arris* Eſq; one of the Commiſſioners of the Victualling-Office.
9. *John Fellows* of *Carſhalton* in the County of *Surrey*, Eſq; created a Baronet of *Great Britain.*
Captain *Paſſenger* made a Commiſſioner of the Victualling-Office.
11. Lady *Montgomery* Brought to Bed of a Son.
Viſcounteſs *Windſor* and (her Daughter Mrs. *Jefferies*, renounc'd the Popiſh Faith and receiv'd the Holy Sacrament according to the Uſage of the Church of *England.*
13. *John Askew* Eſq; Knighted.
14. Lady *Gower* deliver'd of a Daughter.
15. Lady *Lincoln* Brought to Bed of a Son.
The Ratifications of the King of *Sardinia's* Acceſſion to the Quadruple Alliance, were this Day exchang'd by the reſpective Plenipotentiaries.
Mr. *King* appointed City-Solicitor.
18. Dy'd Dr. *Samuel Garth* Knt. *M. D.*
19. Dy'd *Theophilus Blague* Eſq; Under-Secretary at War.
Dy'd likewiſe Sir *Snelling Thomas* Knt.
This Day a Proclamation was publiſh'd in *Ireland*, offering the Reward of 10000 *l.* to the Perſon who ſhould ſeize *James Butler* late Duke of *Ormond*, in caſe he were landed, or ſhould attempt to land in that Kingdom.

Richard

Jan. 21. *Richard Arnold* Esq; appointed to succeed Mr. *Blague* deceas'd in the Office of Under-Secretary at War.

Dr. *Gibson* appointed Physician-General to the the Army, in the room of Sir *Samuel Garth* Knt. deceas'd.

22. Dy'd in Child-bed the Lady *Waldegrave.*

Dy'd likewise the Countess of *Anglesea*; and,

William Paterson Esq;

25. Count *la Begue* Envoy Extraordinary from the Duke of *Lorain*, had his first Private Audience of His Majesty.

Lord *Carteret* appointed Ambassador and Plenipotentiary to the Court of *Sweden.*

26. *George Tuthill* Esq; appointed Chief Clerk in the War-Office, in the room of *Richard Arnold*, Esq;

Sir *John Fellows* Bart. chosen Sub-Governor of the *South-Sea* Company, in the room of Mr. *Shepheard* deceas'd.

28. General *Crofts* appointed Envoy Extraordinary to the King of *Poland*, in the room of General *Palmes* deceas'd.

Dy'd Mrs. *Bridget Noel.*

Christopher Tilson Esq; appointed First Commissioner for managing the State Lotteries.

Dy'd the Honourable [illegible] *Townshend* Esq; youngest Son of the Lord *Townshend.*

30. Dy'd the Lord *Brackley* at *Eaton-School*, Aged Fourteen.

31. Lady *Lansdown* Brought to Bed of a Daughter.

Foreign Affairs.

On the 9th Instant, *N. S.* War was declar'd at *Paris* against the King of *Spain.*

Count

January. Count *Fuchs* the Emperor's Envoy at *Ham-burg*, dy'd there about this time.

Dy'd likewiſe at *Dreſden* in *Poland* Lieutenant-General *Palmes* His *Britannick* Majeſty's Envoy to the King of *Poland*.

About the beginning of this Year dy'd Prince *Maximillian-Charles de Leweſtein-Wertheim*, Governor-General of the *Milaneze*, Ag Seventy-five.

On the 20th Inſtant, the States-General the United-Provinces of the *Netherlan* paſs'd a Reſolution to enter into the Qu druple Alliance.

This Month the Duke of *Lorain*'s Palace *Luneville*, was, with all the Furniture, co ſum'd by Fire.

This Month an Earthquake was felt at *Veni* without much Damage.

Princeſs *Ulrica-Eleonora* Conſort of the Prin of *Heſſe-Caſſel*, declar'd by the Sen Queen of *Sweden*; and the Kingdom, whi had for ſome Ages been Hereditary, clar'd Elective.

February 2. Counteſs of *Warwick* deliver'd of a Daughte

3. Count *Holſt* Plenipotentiary, Miniſter fr the King of *Denmark*, had his firſt Priv Audience of His Majeſty.

6. Duke of *Kingſton* declar'd Preſident of Council, by His Majeſty, in the room of Earl of *Sunderland* appointed Groom of Stole, and firſt Lord of the Bed-chamber His Majeſty.

Duke of *Argyle* appointed Lord-Steward His Majeſty's Houſhold, in the room of Duke of *Kent*, to whom His Majeſty co mitted the Cuſtody of the Privy-Seal.

Ro

ebruary 6. *Robert Baylis* Esq; declar'd Alderman of *Bread-street* Ward.

Mr. *Chamberlain* appointed Surveyor of His Majesty's Wines, in the room of Mr. *Hymans* deceas'd.

11. Lord *Shelburn* of the Kingdom of *Ireland*, created Earl *Shelburn* in that Kingdom.

Dy'd *Rowland Holt* Esq;

12. Dy'd ——— *Foly* Esq; Son of the Lord *Foly*.

13. *Thomas Milner* Esq; made a Commissioner of the Salt Duties.

15. Earl of *Essex* made first Lord of the Bed-chamber to the Prince of *Wales*.

18. *Charles Joye* Esq; chosen Deputy-Governor of the *South-Sea* Company.

His Majesty gave the Royal Assent to

An Act for applying certain Over-plus Monies, and farther Sums to be rais'd as well by way of a Lottery as by Loans, towards paying off and cancelling Exchequer Bills, and for lessening the present great Charge in relation to those Bills, and for circulating and exchanging for ready Money the residue of the same Bills for the future.

An Act for Strengthning the Protestant Interest in these Kingdoms,

An Act for Punishing Mutiny and Desertion, and for the better Payment of the Army, and their Quarters.

An Act for Quieting and Establishing Corporations.

An Act for Continuing an Act made in the Twelfth Year of Her late Majesty Queen Anne, *intituled*, An Act for the Encouraging the Tobacco-Trade.

An

Feb. 18. *An Act for the more effectual Relief of* ſu
Wives and Children as are left by their Hu
bands and Parents upon the Charge of t
Pariſh.

An Act for Repairing the Road from Beconsfi
in the County of Bucks, *to* Stoken-Chur
in the County of Oxon.

An Act for Repairing the Roads from the top
Stoken-Church-Hill, *to* Enſlow-Bridge, a
the Road leading from Wheatly-Bridg
through the City of Oxon, *by* Begbrook *to* N
Woodſtock *in the County of* Oxon, (*except t*
Mile-way *on each ſide of the ſaid City,*) a
to diſable all Commiſſioners or Truſtees, a
pointed for Repairing any High-ways or Roa
to have any Place or Profit, ariſing out of t
Toll for Repairing ſuch High-ways or Road
And to Seven Private Bills.

About this time a Convention between t
King of *Great-Britain* and the City
Hamburgh, for eſtabliſhing a free and r
gulated Trade for Herrings, and other Fi
was ſign'd by the reſpective Parties co
cern'd.

Earl of *Albemarle* made Captain of a Co
pany in the Second Regiment of Fo
Guards.

Ninety-ſeven Felons Convict put on Sh
board, in order to be tranſported to
Majeſty's Plantations.

Mr. *William Churchill* a Bookſeller in *Pat*
noſter-Row, marry'd to Mrs. *Wake* Daugh
of the Arch-Biſhop of *Canterbury*.

20. Both Houſes of Convocation farther pro
gued to the 8th of *April*.

21. Dy'd the Lady *Fox* Widow of Sir *Stephen F*
at the *Bath*.

Dy

Feb. 21. Dy'd *Robert Winter* Eſq; one of the Clerks of the Crown-Office.

22. Dy'd *Adam Cardonnel* Eſq; Secretary to the Duke of *Marlborough*.

Dy'd the Twin Son and Daughter of the Lord *Paget*.

26. Dy'd the Honourable *James Scot* Eſq;

Dy'd *Francis Herbert* Eſq; of *Oakley-Park* in the County of *Salop*.

28. Dy'd Conſul *Goodwin*.

Foreign Affairs.

On the 5th Inſtant, the Earl of *Stair* Ambaſſador of the King of *Great-Britain* to the moſt Chriſtian King, made his Publick Entry with greater Splendor and Magnificence than had ever been ſeen there before on the like Occaſion. The March was in the following Order: The Introductor's Coach; that of the Marſhal *d'Eſtrees*, preceded by his *Suiſs*, two Equeries, and four Pages on Horſeback; the Ambaſſador's Gentleman of the Horſe on Horſeback; thirty-ſix Footmen; a Meſſenger of the King of *Great-Britain* on Horſeback; ſix Led-Horſes, with magnificent Furniture, led by Grooms; twelve Gentlemen on Horſeback; the Ambaſſador's Maſter of the Horſe, and twelve Pages on Horſeback; the King's Coach, thoſe of the Ducheſs of *Berry*, Madame, the Duke of *Orleans*, the Ducheſs of *Orleans*, the Duke of *Chartres*, the Princeſs of *Conde*, the Ducheſs Dowager of *Bourbon*, the Duke and Ducheſs of *Bourbon*, the Princeſs Dowager of *Conti*, the Prince

February. and Princeſs of *Conti*, the Count of *Toulouſe*, and that of the Abbot *du Bois* Miniſter and Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs: At the Diſtance of thirty or forty Paces, two *Swiſs* on Horſeback; the Ambaſſador's Five Coaches, which were very rich and ſplendid, as were likewiſe his Liveries. Theſe were follow'd by the Secretary of the Embaſſy (Mr. *Crawford's* Coach, and others of ſeveral *Britiſh* Gentlemen.

On the 22d Inſtant, two Hours after Sun-ſet, an extraordinary Meteor appeared over the City of *Venice* like a Fire-Ball ariſing out of the *Eaſt*, which caſt a bright Light almoſt like that of the Sun, and ſometimes after turn'd Weſtward, dividing it ſelf into ſeveral Branches like ſo many Comets, which vaniſhed away at laſt, leaving a ſulphureous Smell behind it.

This Month ſome Perſons, miſtaken for the *Pretender* and ſome of his Retinue, were ſeiz'd at *Voghera*, and confin'd in *Milan Caſtle*; but the Miſtake appearing, they were all ſet at Liberty.

Baron *Gortz* a Native of *Holſtein*, Prime Miniſter of State to the late King of *Sweden*, was, for High Miſdemeanors, ſentenc'd by the Senate of *Sweden* to be Beheaded, and his Body to be buried under the Gallows as a juſt Puniſhment of his Crimes, and for an Example to other bad Counſellors and Diſturbers of Kingdoms. Which Sentence was, on the 20th of this Month put in Execution. This unhappy Miniſter, before his Death, wrote his own Epitaph in the follo

February. following Words: *Mors Regis, & fides in Regem Mors mea.*

March 7. Dutchess of *Wharton* Brought to Bed of a Son.

Earl of *Berkeley* appointed to Command a Squadron of Men of War order'd to cruise between the *Western* Coast and *Ireland.*

10. His Majesty gave the Royal Assent to

An Act for Continuing certain Duties upon Coals and Culm, and for Establishing certain Funds to raise Money to proceed in the Building New Churches, and to Compleat the Supply granted to His Majesty, and to Reserve the Overplus Money of the said Duties for the Disposition of Parliament, and for more effectua Suppressing of Private Lotteries.

An Act for Enlarging the Time granted by two Acts of Parliament, for Repairing the Piers of Bridlington *alias* Burlington, *and for making the said Acts more effectual.*

After which His Majesty made a most gracious Speech to Both Houses.

Colonel *Edmund Feilding* appointed to command a Regiment of Invalids to consist of ten Companies.

Sir *John Norris* with a Squadron of seven Men of War sail'd from *Spithead.*

Earl of *Shrewsbury* marry'd to a Daughter of the Lord *Fitz-Williams* of the Kingdom of *Ireland.*

13. Dy'd the Lady *Mountcashel* of the said Kingdom.

17. A Proclamation publish'd for apprehending the late Duke of *Ormond*, and other attainted Peers and Gentlemen, promising the Reward of 5000 *l.* for the said late Duke; 1000 *l.* for any attainted Peer;

March 17. and 500 *l.* for any Gentleman under t Degree of Peerage.

18. An Embargo laid on all Outward-bound Shi ping.

19. About Eight this Evening, the Weather b ing cold and the Sky very ſerene, a gl bular fiery Cloud was ſeen deſcending fro the Atmoſphere, 'till it came (ſeemingl to about twenty Yards from the Surfa of the Earth, when, dividing in two, gave ſuch a Flaſh of Light as made t whole Horizon as bright as at Noon-Da then darting from the *N. E.* towards t *S. W.* it diſappear'd in half a Minute.

20. Dy'd of the Small-Pox the Wife of *Geor Mordaunt* Eſq;

23. A Declaration publiſh'd, for Encouraging H Majeſty's Ships of War and Privateers take Prizes from the *Spaniards.*

A Proclamation publiſh'd, for giving Enco ragement to ſuch as ſhould bring ſtraggli Seamen into His Majeſty's Service.

Charles Long Eſq; choſen one of the Co miſſioners of the Forfeited Eſtates, in t room of *George Treby* Eſq; Secretary War.

Lord *Forreſter* made Colonel and Captain the Fourth Troop of Life-Guards, in t room of the Earl of *Dundonald.*

24. One *Patrick* a Barber in the *Strand*, up ſome Diſcontent unknown, ript up Belly and cut his Throat, after havi mangled himſelf in ſeveral other Parts his Body.

26. Dy'd Sir *William Fazakerly* Knt. many Ye Chamberlain of the City of *London.*

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March 26. The new Pariſh-Church at *Bow* conſecrated by the Biſhop of *London*.

29. Dy'd the Lady of the Lord *Archibald Hamilton*.

Foreign Affairs.

Prince *Philip-Maurice* of *Bavaria* Biſhop of *Munſter* and *Paderborn*, dying ſoon after he was elected, his Brother Prince *Clement Auguſtus* of *Bavaria*, was, by the Chapters of *Munſter* and *Paderborn*, elected in his room.

Myn Heer Van Bie late the *Dutch* Reſident at *Muſcovy*, ſent by their High Mightineſſes with the ſame Character to the Court of *Sweden*, which ſeem'd to give ſome Diſguſt to His Czariſh Majeſty.

April 1. Colonel *William Stanhope* marry'd to Mrs. *Griffin* Daughter of the Lady *Mohun*.

2. Dy'd the Counteſs of *Torrington*.

3. Dy'd *John Dormer* of *Rowſham* in the County of *Oxon*, Eſq;

4. Dy'd Sir *Thomas Powys* Knt. one of the Judges of the Queen's-Bench in the Reign of the late Queen *Anne*.

The late Earl *Mariſchal*, Earl of *Seaforth*, Marquis of *Tullibardin*, and ſome other attainted Rebels landed at *Kintail* in the Shire of *Roſs* in *Scotland* with about 400 Men from on Board three *Spaniſh* Frigates and five Tranſports

Dy'd at *Weſt-Hanny* in *Berkſhire* the Widow *Bowles*, Aged 124.

April 4. *James Hamilton* Esq; created Earl of *Clonebo*
in the Kingdom of *Ireland*.

7. A Proclamation publish'd for opening a free
Trade to *Sweden*.

Dy'd the Countess of *Oxford*.

8. *Orlando Bridgman* Esq; marry'd to the Lady
Anne Newport second Daughter of the
Right Honourable *Richard* Earl of *Brad-
ford*.

Lord *How* of the Kingdom of *Ireland* mar-
ry'd to the Daughter of the late Sieur *Kil-
mansegg*.

10. Dy'd Mrs. *Farmer* Sister of the Lord *Lemp-
ster*.

A Proclamation publish'd in *Ireland* promi-
sing the Reward of 1000 *l.* for apprehend-
ing —— *Sarsfeild*, commonly call'd Lord
Lucan, within three Months after the Date
thereof.

11. Dy'd in *Newgate* Mr. *Redmayne* the Printer.

Abel Kettleby Esq; chosen Recorder of *Lud-
low*, in the room of Sir *Thomas Powys* de-
ceas'd.

At the Sessions, which ended this Day, *Au-
gustin Moor* a Chairman, was convicted o
Spitting at the Princess of *Wales*, as He
Royal Highness pass'd through the *Pal
Mall* in a Chair, and of Speaking severa
traiterous Expressions of His Majesty an
the Royal Family; for which Offences h
was sentenc'd to be Whipt from *Somerse
House* to the Upper-end of the *Hay-marke
and to remain in Prison three Years.

Dy'd of the Small-pox the Lady —— *Herbe
Daughter of the Earl of *Pembroke*.

Dy'd *John-Morely Trevor* Esq; Member of Pa
liament for *Lewes* in *Sussex*.

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April 13. *Nicholas Lechmere* Esq; marry'd to a Daughter of the Earl of *Carliſle*.

Colonel *Berkely* appointed Colonel of the Third Troop of Horſe-Grenadier Guards.

Colonel *Charles Cadogan* appointed Colonel of the Regiment of Foot late *Berkeley*'s.

Dy'd *John Gauntlet* Esq; formerly Clerk of the Signet.

16. Dy'd Sir *Francis Wyndham* Bart. in the Ninth Year of his Age.

About this time Lieutenant-General *Wills* was appointed Lieutenant-General of the Ordnance.

Lieutenant-General *Maccartney* made Governor of *Portſmouth*, in the room of Lieutenant-General *Wills*.

Major-General *Sabine* made Governor of *Berwick* and *Holy Iſland*, in the room of Lieutenant-General *Maccartney*.

18. His Majeſty gave the Royal Aſſent to

An Act for Redeeming the Fund appropriated for Payment of the Lottery Tickets which were made forth for the Service of the Year 1710, by a Voluntary Subſcription of the Proprietors, into the Capital Stock of the South-Sea *Company, and for Raiſing a Sum of Money to pay off ſuch Debts and Incumbrances as are therein mentioned, and for appropriating the Supplies granted in this Seſſion of Parliament, and to limit Times for Proſecutions upon Bonds for Exporting Cards and Dice.*

An Act for Settling certain Yearly Funds payable out of the Revenue of Scotland, *to ſatisfy Publick Debts in* Scotland, *and other Uſes mention'd in the Treaty of Union; and to diſcharge the Equivalents claim'd on the Behalf of* Scotland, *in the Terms of the ſame Treaty;*

April 18. *Treaty; and for Obviating all future Diſputes, Charges, and Expences concerning thoſe Equivalents.*

An Act for Recovering the Credit of the Britiſh *Fiſhery in Foreign Parts, and for better Securing the Duties on Salt.*

An Act for Enlarging the Time to determine Claims on the Forfeited Eſtates.

An Act againſt clandeſtine Running of Uncuſtom'd Goods, and for the more effectual Preventing of Frauds relating to the Cuſtoms.

An Act for the better Securing the lawful Trade of His Majeſty's Subjects to and from the East-Indies, *and for the more effectual Preventing all His Majeſty's Subjects trading thither under foreign Commiſſions.*

An Act for Appointing a Commiſſioner and Truſtee to put in Execution the Powers and Authorities of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament relating to the Forfeited Eſtates, and the Eſtates given to Superſtitious Uſes, in the room of George Treby *Eſq; who has deſired to have been Diſcharg'd from the ſaid Truſt.*

An Act for better Preventing the Miſchief which may happen by keeping too great Quantities of Gun-powder in or near the Cities of London *and* Weſtminſter, *or the Suburbs thereof.*

An Act to Continue the Commiſſioners appointed to Examine, State, and Determine the Debts due to the Army, and to Examine and State the Demands of ſeveral Foreign Princes and States for Subſidies during the late War.

An Act for the better Preventing Frauds committed by Bankrupts.

April 18. *An Act for the Amendment of Writs of Error, and for the farther Preventing the Arresting or Reversing of Judgment after Verdict.*

An Act to Prevent the Inconveniences arising from Seducing Artificers in the Manufactures of Great-Britain *into Foreign Parts.*

An Act for making more effectual the several Acts past for Repairing and Amending the High-ways of this Kingdom.

An Act for Amending and making more Effectual the Laws for Repairing the High-ways, Bridges, and Ferries in that part of Great-Britain *call'd* Scotland.

An Act for making more Effectual the Laws appointing the Oaths for Security of the Government, to be taken by Ministers and Preachers in the Churches and Meeting-Houses of Scotland.

An Act for Continuing the Act made in the Eighth Year of the late Queen Anne, *to Regulate the Price and Assize of Bread, and for Continuing the Act made in the Twelfth Year of Her late Majesty's Reign, for the better Encouragement of the making Sail-Cloth in* Great-Britain.

An Act for making more effectual an Act of the Third and Fourth Years of King William *and Queen* Mary, *intituled,* An Act for the more effectual Discovery and Punishment of Deer-Stealers.

An Act for the farther Punishment of such Persons as shall unlawfully Kill or Destroy Deer in Parks, Paddocks, or other Inclos'd Grounds.

An Act for Relief of such Sufferers of the Islands of Nevis *and St.* Christopher's, *as have Settled in either of those Islands before 25th of* December 1712.

An

April 18. *An Act for Laying a Duty of* 2 d. Scots, *or One ſixth part of a Penny* ſterling, *upon every Pint of Ale or Beer that ſhall be vended or ſold within the Town of* Dunbar, *for Improving and Preſerving the Harbour, and Repairing the Town-Houſe, and Building a School and other publick Buildings there, and for Supplying the ſaid Town with Freſh Water.*

An Act for Enlarging the Time granted by an Act of the Ninth and Tenth Years of King William, *for Cleanſing and making Navigable the Channel from the* Hythe *at* Colcheſter *to* Wivenhoe, *and for making the ſaid Act more effectual.*

An Act for making the Town and Townſhip of Sunderland *a diſtinct Pariſh from the Pariſh of* Biſhop-Wearmouth, *in the County of* Durham.

And to Six Private Bills.

After which His Majeſty made a moſt gracious Speech to Both Houſes, which were Prorogued by His Majeſty's Command to the 20th of *May* enſuing.

Mr. *Lutterel* Nephew of Colonel *Lutterel* who was barbarouſly Aſſaſſinated at *Dublin*, being Convicted of Wilful Perjury at the Tryal of two Perſons for the ſaid Murder, was ſentenc'd to ſtand three Hours in the Pillory, with both his Ears nail'd to it, then to have them cut off, and to remain eight Months in Priſon.

Dy'd Mrs. *Howland* Mother of the Ducheſs of *Bedford*.

19. Dy'd Sir *John Clopton* of *Clopton* in the County of *Warwick*, Knt. Aged Eighty Years.

Ducheſs of *Kent* deliver'd of a Daughter.

Captain

April 19. Captain *Tudor Trevor* (Son of Sir *John Trevor* Knt. late Master of the Rolls) marry'd to a Daughter of —— *Jennings* of *Shiplake* in the County of *Oxon*, Esq;

Honourable —— *Howard* Esq; Son of the Earl of *Carlisle*, made Captain of the Company late *Cadogan*'s, in the Third Regiment of Foot-Guards.

21. Dy'd *Henry* Earl of *Stafford*, Son of *William* Viscount *Stafford* Beheaded on *Tower-Hill* the 29th of *December* 1680.

Dy'd, Sir *Thomas Cave* of *Stamford* in the County of *Leicester*, Bart.

Dy'd *William Tipping* Esq; formerly High-Sheriff of *Oxon*.

The Prince and Princess of *Wales* went to reside at *Richmond* during the Summer.

22. Dy'd —— *Edwards* Esq; Keeper of the *Regalia* in the *Tower* of *London*.

27. *George Howell* Esq; High-Sheriff of *Glamorgan*, Knighted.

—— *Rowley* Esq; appointed to succeed Mr. *Edwards* deceas'd, as Keeper of the Regalia, *&c.*

Richard Elliot Esq; appointed Secretary of the Embassy to *Sweden*.

28 The Ratifications of the Convention lately concluded at the *Hague*, between the Emperor, the King of *Great-Britain*, and the States-General of the *United Provinces*, for removing the Difficulties which hinder'd the execution of the Barrier-Treaty concluded at *Antwerp*, *anno* 1715, were Exchang'd this Day at *White-hall*, by the respective Ministers of the Powers which are Parties to the said Treaty.

Duke

April 29. Duke of *Kingſton* elected a Knight-Companion of the moſt Noble Order of the Garter.

Foreign Affairs.

The extraordinary Magnificence of the Imperial Ambaſſador Count *Virmond*, and his Retinue, at his Entrance into *Conſtantinople* muſt not be omitted; which was in the following Order:

Firſt came the Adjutant of the Imperial Regiment of Guards, at the Head of a Detachment from that Regiment, preceeded by Military Muſick and Drums; then followd two Meſſengers, in Scarlet Surtouts lac'd with Gold; the Ambaſſador's Gentleman of the Horſe attended by four Grooms on foot; twelve of the fineſt Led Horſes with rich Saddles and Furniture, cover'd with Houſings of Crimſon Velvet lac'd with Gold, led by twelve Grooms on Horſeback; eight Trumpeters with Silver Trumpets adorn'd with Toſſels of Gold; eight Kettle-Drums of Silver hung with fine Cloth, with the Imperial Arms embroider'd in Gold; the Trumpeters and Kettle-Drummers being dreſſed in Scarlet richly lac'd with Gold and Silver. Then came the Officers of the Noblemen attending the Ambaſſador in their beſt Dreſſes; his Excellency's Great Steward, the Surgeon, the Apothecary, with twenty Domeſtick Officers; the Phyſician and four Secretaries all in Scarlet lac'd with Gold; the Marſhal of the Ambaſſy richly dreſſed; his Footmen walking on both ſides eight

April. eighteen Noblemen, preceded by as many Footmen in Red Liveries edg'd with Silver; the Caſhier and two Secretaries at War, with nine Students of the *Oriental* Languages; then the two Interpreters of the Embaſſy, dreſſed after the *Turkiſh* Faſhion, as were alſo their Footmen; after them the Imperial Secretary of the Embaſſy in a Habit embroider'd with Gold, follow'd by four Chaplains in Blue, and an Abbot wearing a Mitre; then came Fifteen Footmen in Red Liveries, preceding ſo many Noblemen ſumptuouſly dreſſed, one of whom carried a Standard repreſenting the Immaculate Conception and the Imperial Eagle; thirty Footmen likewiſe in Red Liveries moſt richly adorn'd with Silver, with Feathers on their Hats, preceded the Ambaſſador: His Excellency was dreſſed in the moſt magnificent Imperial Dreſs, with a Mantle of Gold Stuff lac'd with Points, with White Plumes mix'd with Red on his Hat, being mounted on a noble Horſe, and ſurrounded by twelve Heidukes, whoſe Coats were button'd with Buttons and Claſps of Silver; their Pouches, Belts, Scimetars, Maces, and other Ornaments, being all of maſſy Silver; they wearing Red Velvet Caps embroider'd with Silver on their Heads: Nearer his Excellency walked one of his Excellency's Gentlemen of the Horſe, dreſſed in Scarlet embroider'd with Gold, with two Footmen; immediately after the Ambaſſador followed his Great Maſter of the Horſe in a fine Dreſs on Horſeback; and after him, fourteen Pages in Velvet Coats richly laid

April. with Gold, turn'd up with Silver Stu and Waſtcoats of the ſame; ten Muſicia in Red edg'd with Gold, march'd wi their Military Muſick before a Company thirty Grenadiers (his Excellency's Guar under the Command of a Captain, with Enſign who carried a White Standard, which was preſented, on both ſides, t Holy Trinity, with an Eagle under it, a the Emperor's Name. The Men march on in a fine Order, being richly clad a having Fur-Caps on their Heads, with t Imperial Eagle of maſſy Silver on the Fronts, and on their Pouches the Cyph of the Ambaſſador's Name in Silver, which were alſo the Hilts of their Bayone Then came eight Mules laden with Goo with Crimſon Velvet Covers lac'd with Go led by three Muleteers in rich Liveries: laſt, another Detachment of the Imper Guards under the Command of a Lieut nant, cloſed this pompous Proceſſion.

May 1. *Thomas Pengelly* Eſq; Serjeant at Law, Knigh ed.

2. *Tempeſt Holmes* Eſq; appointed Clerk of t Acts in His Majeſty's Navy, in the room *Charles Sergiſon*, Eſq;

4. *Bennet* Viſcount *Sherrard* created Earl of *H borough*.

William Grimſton Eſq; created Baron of *D boyne*, and Viſcount *Grimſton* in the Kin dom of *Ireland*. And

Thomas Pitt junior, Eſq; Baron of *Lond derry* in the ſaid Kingdom.

5. Mr. *Whichcot* Son of Sir *Paul Whichcot*, ma ry'd to Mrs. *Banks* Daughter of *Joſe Ban*

May 5. *Banks* of *Skoffington* in the County of *Nottingham*, Esq;

Sir *Charles Earnaby* appointed Auditor of the Accompts of several Lotteries.

Thomas Burnet Esq; appointed His Majesty's Consul at *Lisbon*, in the room of —— *Poyntz* Esq;

7. Don *Hyacinth Borges Pereyra à Castro* Envoy Extraordinary from the King of *Portugal* had his first Private Audience of His Majesty.

Captain *Hopson* appointed Rear-Admiral of the Blue. And

Captain *Hosier* of the White.

9. His Majesty having this Day declar'd in Council his Intention of going out of the Kingdom for a short Time, was pleas'd to name the Lords Justices into whose Hands His Majesty thought fit to entrust the Government, during his Absence, *viz.*

Arch-Bishop of *Canterbury*.
Lord High Chancellor of *Great-Britain*.
Duke of *Kingston* Lord President.
Duke of *Kent* Lord Privy-Seal.
Duke of *Argyle* and *Greenwich* Lord Steward of the Houshold.
Duke of *Newcastle* Lord Chamberlain of the Houshold.
Duke of *Bolton* Lord Lieutenant of *Ireland*.
Duke of *Marlborough* Captain-General.
Duke of *Roxburgh* one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.
Earl of *Sunderland* first Commissioner of the Treasury, and Groom of the Stole.
Earl of *Berkeley* first Commissioner of the Admiralty.

May 9 Earl *Stanhope* one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State. And
James Craggs jun. Eſq; one other of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State.

The ſame Day *Charles Wills* Eſq; Lieutenant-General of His Majeſty's Ordnance, was ſworn of His Majeſty's moſt Honourable Privy-Council.

Scroop Earl of *Bridgewater*,
Edward Earl of *Warwick*,
Peregrine Marquis of *Lindſey*, and
Robert Earl of *Holderneſs*, appointed Gentlemen of His Majeſty's Bed-chamber.

Thomas Earl of *Weſtmoreland* appointed to be one of the Commiſſioners for Trade and Plantation, in the room of the Earl of *Holderneſs*.

Bennet Earl of *Harborough* appointed Warden and Chief Juſtice in Eyre of all His Majeſty's Foreſts, Chaſes, *&c.* beyond *Trent* in the room of the Earl of *Weſtmoreland*.

11. About Nine in the Morning His Majeſty left St. *James*'s, paſſed in his Barge from *Whitehall* to *Lambeth*, and from thence proceeded by Coach to *Graveſend*, where His Majeſty embarqued for *Holland* on Board the *Carolina* Yatcht, which ſailed between two and three in the Afternoon, and came to an Anchor off *Helvoetſluys* between nine and ten next Morning.

Henry Worſeley Eſq; His Majeſty's Envoy Extraordinary to the King of *Portugal*, appointed Plenipotentiary to the ſaid King.

Thomas Ambroſe Eſq; one of the Sheriffs for *London* and *Middleſex* Knighted.

Eliſeu

May 11. *Eliſeus Burgeſs* Eſq; appointed His Majeſty's Reſident at *Venice*, in the room of Mr. *Cunningham*.

Dy'd *Benjamin Jackſon* Eſq; Maſter Maſon to His Majeſty.

The Honourable *Edward Stawell* Eſq; (Brother to the Lord *Stawell*) marry'd to a Daughter of Sir *Hugh Stukeley* of *Hinton* in the County of *Southampton*, Bart.

Sir *Patrick Strachan* made Barrack-Maſter-General in *Scotland*.

One hundred and five Felons Convict ſhipp'd off for His Majeſty's Plantations.

Charles de la Fay Eſq; appointed Secretary to the Lords Juſtices.

Dy'd *Bridget* Lady Dowager *Aſhburnham*.

13. *William Moor* Pillory'd at *Charing-Croſs* for Conſpiring with ——— *Kinnerſley* falſely to accuſe the Earl of *Sunderland*.

Lady of *London-derry* Brought to Bed of a Son.

Dy'd ——— *Pierpoint* Eſq; of *Nottingham*, in the Sixteenth Year of his Age.

17. The Lords Juſtices met at *Whitehall*, and open'd their Commiſſion.

Dy'd ſuddenly Dr. *Dunſtar* Rector of *Marſton* in the County of *Bucks*, Chaplain to His Majeſty, and Warden of *Wadham-College*, *Oxon*.

19. The Parliament met at *Weſtminſter*, and were further prorogued, by Commiſſion from the Lords Juſtices, to the 30th of *June*.

Dy'd *Mary* Counteſs Dowiger of *Tankerville*.

20. Dr. *Baker* Rector of St. *Giles's in the Fields*, elected Warden of *Wadham-College*, *Oxon*.

May 20. The Three Young Princeſſes went to reſid (during the Summer-Seaſon) at the Palac of *Kenſington.*

22. Dy'd *William Heathcote* Eſq; Brother to Si *Gilbert Heathcote* Knt. Alderman of *London*

Mr. *Robinſon* obtain'd a Pardon for all Crime by him committed relating to Drawback in the Exportation of Salt.

Colonel *Gledhill* appointed Governor of *Pla centia* and *Annapolis-Royal* in *Newfoundland* in the room of Colonel *Moody.*

Mr. *Samuel Buckley* appointed Gazetteer, b Patent for Life, with a Salary of 300 *l per Annum.*

25. Dy'd *John Chetwynd* Eſq;

Marchioneſs of *Hartington* deliver'd of Daughter.

26. Dy'd *Elizabeth* Baroneſs of *Chandois*, Mothe of *James* the preſent Duke.

Counteſs of *Newburgh* abjur'd the Roman Catholick Faith, and embrac'd the Prote ſtant according to the Uſage of the Churc of *England.*

27. Dy'd the Right Honourable *Thomas* Lord *To rington* (Brother to the Earl of *Bradford* one of the Tellers of the Exchequer. An *Thomas Parker* Eſq; Son of the Lord Chan cellor, appointed to ſucceed his Lordſhi in that Office.

28. Their Royal Highneſſes (Daughters of th Prince and Princeſs of *Wales*) open'd the Houſhold at *Kenſington* upon the followin Eſtabliſhment.

Counteſs of *Portland* Governeſs.
Mrs. *Colladon* Sub-Governeſs.
Mr. *Billerbeck* Preceptor.
John Neal Eſq; Comptroller.

Dr. *Wilc*

May 28. Dr. *Wilcox* Chaplain.
Lord *Glenorchy* Maſter of the Horſe.
John Mordaunt Eſq; Equerry.
Mr. *Alexander Gordon* Clerk of the Stables.
With other inferior Officers.

31. Dy'd *Edmund Dunch* Eſq; of *Wittenham* in the County of *Bucks*, Maſter of His Majeſty's Houſhold.

Foreign Affairs.

On the 5th of this Month, the Prince *Peter Petrowitz* only ſurviving Son of the Czar, dy'd at *Petersburgh*, in the Fifth Year of his Age.

The Count *de Marſay* His Majeſty's Envoy with the Republick of *Genoa*, being inform'd that two of the *Pretender*'s known Adherents were lodged at an Inn in that Place, went to the firſt Syndick of the State and deſired they might be examin'd. Which being readily granted, they were diſcover'd to be the late Earl of *Mar* and Mr. *Stuart*, and were immediately, with their Papers, ſeiz'd, and committed to ſafe Cuſtody.

On the 18th His *Britannick* Majeſty arriv'd at his Palace of *Herenhauſen*.

On the 23d of this Month, the great Convoy, which had been long preparing in *Naples* for the Reduction of *Sicily*, conſiſting of about 170 Veſſels, having on Board between 11 and 12000 Foot, and about 2000 Horſe and Dragoons, with Artillery, Stores, *&c.* the Whole under the Convoy of

May. of seven *British* Men of War of Admiral *Byng's* Squadron, ſail'd from *Baya*, and on the 28th landed at *Patti* in *Sicily* and Count *Mercy* (Commander in Chief of the Imperial Forces in that Iſland) the Day following march'd with his whole Army and encampt at *Oliveri*; the Marquis *de Lede* General of the *Spaniards* having rais'd the Siege of *Melazzo* in the Night between the 26th and 27th, upon the firſt Diſcovery of the Imperial Fleet off of *Stromboli*, leaving behind him 4000 Sacks of Corn, and all his Sick and Wounded, recommending them to the Care of the Imperial General Count *Zumjungen*. Thus was the Siege of *Melazzo* rais'd which had been defended ſeven Months.

About this time the *French* Army under the Command of the Marſhal Duke of *Berwick* open'd the Trenches before *Fontarabia* and *Caſtel-Leon*.

Towards the Cloſe of this Month the Iſland *Lipari* in *Sicily* was taken by the *Germans*.

June 1. Lord *Carteret* ſet out on his Embaſſy to *Sweden*.

2. One *Devenish* a Centinel in the Foot-Guards (for ſpeaking Traiterous Words of His Majeſty) was ſentenc'd by a Court-Martial to be ty'd to a Tree and whipt by the Firſt, Second, and Third Regiments of Guards at three ſeveral Times, and afterwards to be drummed out of the Regiment; which was accordingly put in Execution.

Dy'

June 2. Dy'd *William Lancaſter* Eſq; one of the Band of Gentlemen Penſioners, and one of the Directors of the *African* Company.

Mr. *Burrard* made a Patent-Searcher in the Port of *London*.

6. *Richard Aldworth* Eſq; appointed to ſucceed Mr. *Butrard* in his Commiſſion for the Affairs of Taxes.

7. Dy'd ——— *Addenbroke* M. D. of *Catharine-Hall, Cambridge*.

8. Captain *Fleming* Commander of a Merchantman trading to the *Streights*, taken into Cuſtody of a Meſſenger, for landing his Men in *Spain*, and entring into the *Spaniſh* Service.

The Eſtate of *Edward Swinburn* Eſq; (one of the *Preſton* Rebels) ſold before the Commiſſioners of Enquiry, *&c.* for 6800 *l.*

10. Sir *John Norris* ſail'd for the *Baltick* with eight Men of War.

14. Dy'd the Lady of Sir *Thomas Wheat* of *Glympton* in the County of *Oxon*, Bart.

The late Lord *Widdrington*'s Eſtate ſold for 7300 *l.*

15. Dy'd the Lady *Mary Cavendiſh* eldeſt Daughter of the Duke of *Devonſhire*.

About this time great Numbers of the Weavers aſſembling together, committed ſeveral Outrages, and abuſed all People whom they found wearing Callicoes or Painted Linnens, and threatning further Miſchief: Upon which their Excellencies the Lords Juſtices order'd a Detachment of the Foot-Guards to oppoſe them; upon ſight of whom they immediately diſperſed; but ſome of them being ſecured and puniſhed, they were all quell'd.

Dy'd

June 17. Dy'd the Right Honourable *Joseph Addiſon* Eſq; (late one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, and) one of His Majeſty's moſt Honourable Privy-Council.

23. Dy'd the Viſcount *Caſtle-comer* of the Kingdom of *Ireland*.

This Day the moſt Noble *Evelyn* Duke of *Kingſton* Lord-Preſident of the Council was inſtalled Knight Companion of the moſt noble Order of the Garter, in the Chappel Royal of St. *George* within the College, in the Caſtle of *Windſor*, by the moſt Noble *Henry* Duke of *Kent* Lord Privy-Seal *John* Duke of *Mountague* Maſter of the Great Wardrobe, and Captain of the Firſt Troop of His Majeſty's Life-Guards; and *Thomas* Duke of *Newcaſtle* Lord-Chamberlain of His Majeſty's Houſhold, Knights Companions of the ſaid Order, commiſſion'd thereto by the Sovereign under the Great Seal of the Order. The Atchievements of the late Earl of *Albemarle* having been firſt offer'd by the two ſenior Knights Commiſſioners, and when all the uſual Ceremonies had been perform'd in the Chappel the Proceſſion was made through the great South-Door of the Church up to the Caſtle, and the Knights Companions, the Officers of the Order, and a great Number of the Nobility, and other Perſons of Quality and Diſtinction were ſplendidly entertain'd at Dinner in the Great Guard-Chamber.

25. *Solomon Aſhley* Eſq; Exempt of the Yeomen of the Guard, marry'd to Mrs. *Pitfield* of *Hoxton*.

June 29. Their Royal Highneſſes the young Princeſſes return'd from *Windſor* (where they had been to ſee the Duke of *Kingſton* inſtalled Knight of the Garter) to *Kenſington*.

Mr. *Petkecum* Miniſter of the Duke of *Holſtein*, recall'd.

30. The Parliament met, and were further prorogu'd, by Commiſſion, to the 18th of *Auguſt* following.

The 26th of this Month the Parliament of *Ireland* met at *Dublin*, and adjourn'd to the 1ſt of *July*.

Some time this Month Lieutenant-General *Thomas Meredith* dy'd at *Dublin*.

On the 10th of this Month a Battle was fought at *Glenſhill* in the County of *Roſs* in *North-Britain*, between the King's Forces under the Command of the Lord *Carpenter*, and the Rebel-Highlanders, who were entirely defeated.

We were likewiſe threatned with an Invaſion from *Spain*; but their Ships and Tranſports meeting with contrary Winds and Storms at Sea, they were oblig'd to make the beſt of their Way back, not without Precipitation and Loſs.

Foreign Affairs.

The beginning of this Month *Caſtle-Leon* in *Spain* ſurrender'd to the *French*; as did likewiſe *Fontarabia* ſoon after.

Some time this Month dy'd at *Beeſten* near *Linguen* in *Weſtphalia*, M. *Clooſter*, Aged 125 Years: He had been an Officer near

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June. 100 Years in the Service of several Em-
perors of *Germany*, and never felt Sick-
neſs till two Days before his Death.

On the 20th of this Month the Imperial Army
under General Count *Mercy* attack'd the
Spaniards in their Camp at *Franca-Villa*,
and forced them from ſeveral Heights and
Advantageous Poſts, though with conſider-
able Loſs. At four a-Clock in the After-
noon the Fire began on both Sides. The
Spaniards were poſted on the other ſide
the River *Roſolins*, and were behind their
Trenches, which were ſo ſtrong, that they
ſeem'd to have been made a long time.
The *Germans* attack'd them even open,
which coſt them much Blood; the Night
obliging them to leave off firing. On the
ſide of the Imperialiſts, were kill'd Colo-
nel *Odyer* and the Prince of *Hoſtein*; and
wounded, Colonel *Balderat*, Colonel *Beau-
fort*, Colonel *Odyer*, General *Seckendorf*, Ge-
neral *Lantizy*, General *Rhor*, Admiral *Byng*'s
Son, a *Daniſh* Volunteer, and General *Mer-
cy*. The Imperialiſts loſt in this Action up-
wards of 4000 Men. Neither was the Loſs
on the ſide of the *Spaniards* leſs conſider-
able; among their Dead were the Mar-
quis *de Lede*'s Brother, and General *Al-
mandaris*, and a Prince whoſe Name was
not then known. Both Armies aſcrib'd to
themſelves the Victory, ſo both caus'd *Te
Deum* to be ſung in the Churches.

Towards the Cloſe of this Month St. *Sebaſti-
an* was inveſted by the *French* under the
Command of the Marſhal Duke of *Ber-
wick*.

July 1. Dy'd the Countess Dowager of *Lindsey*. And
2. Sir *Daniel Wray* formerly High-Sheriff of *Essex*.

6. Dy'd the Duke of *Schonberg* and *Leinster* Knight Companion of the most Noble Order of the Garter, and Count of the Sacred *Roman* Empire; and leaving no Issue-Male, his Honours became extinct.

7. *John Matthews* a Printer taken into Custody, for Dispersing a Pamphlet call'd *Vox Populi, Vox Dei*.

9. *Samuel Trefusis* of *Trefusis* in the County of *Cornwall*, Esq; marry'd Mrs. *Craggs* Daughter of *James Craggs* sen. Esq; one of the Post-Masters General, and Sister to *James Craggs* jun. Esq; one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

The Countess Dowager of *Fingall* marry'd to Mr. *Taffe*.

Mr. *John Mills*, who had been Convicted of Counterfeiting His Majesty's Stamps, pleaded His Majesty's most gracious Pardon, and was discharg'd out of Custody.

14. Dy'd Mr. *Damazeen* one of the Gentlemen of His Majesty's Chappel.

The late Duke of *Ormond*'s House at *Richmond* in *Surrey*, sold to His Royal Highness the Prince of *Wales* for 6000 *l.*

Dy'd *John Ashley* Esq; Son of Sir *Jacob Ashley* Bart. Knight of the Shire for *Oxford*.

21. A Proclamation was publish'd by their Excellencies the Lords Justices, offering the Reward of 2000 *l.* each, for Apprehending *William Murray* commonly call'd Marquis of *Tullibardine*, *George Keith* late Earl

July 21. *Mariſchal*, and *William Mackenzie* late E
of *Seaforth*.
About this time came Advice, that Capt
Shales Commander of His Majeſty's Sh
Hampſhire, dy'd at *Lisbon* in *Portugal*.
24. Dy'd *Heneage Finch* Earl of *Aylesford*.
25. Dy'd Mr. *Yates* the noted Fox-Hunter, Ag
107. And
The Widow of the late Sir *Thomas Byde*.
A Silk-Dyer in *Ruſſel-Court*, *Covent-Gard*
being Delirious, threw himſelf out of t
Window, and dy'd of the Fall.
Three of the Riotous Weavers ſtood in t
Pillory, and were fin'd ſmall Fines, t
Court, at their Tryal, pitying their dep
rable Condition.
30. Dy'd *Elizabeth* Counteſs Dowager of *Berkel*
Mother of *James Berkeley* Earl of *Berkele*
31. A Fire broke out at Mr. *Leader*'s a So
Boilers near the *Ram*-Tavern in St. *Olave*
ſtreet, which burnt down eight or t
Houſes in Front, beſides Back-houſes a
Ware-houſes.
Dr. *Gooch* Vice-Chancellor of *Cambridge*, ch
ſen Reſidentiary of the Cathedral of *C*
cheſter.

On the 2d Inſtant, the Parliament of *Irel*
met at *Dublin*: The Duke of *Bolton* Lo
Lieutenant went in the uſual State to
Houſe of Peers, whither the Commons b
ing ſent for up, his Excellency made
Speech to both Houſes. Upon which bo
Houſes voted an Addreſs to His Majeſ
to Congratulate him on the Succeſs of
Councils and Arms, in ſuppreſſing a
diſappointing the Deſigns and Attempts

July. his Foreign Enemies and Rebellious Subjects in *North-Britain*.

And to Thank His Majesty for his tender Care of the Security and Welfare of his People; and for his indefatigable Endeavours to preserve them from an Intestine Rebellion or Foreign Invasion.

And for his Resolution to support and maintain the Church as by Law establish'd; and to assure His Majesty, That they will use their utmost Endeavour to render all Protestants more useful, and more capable of supporting the Protestant Interest than they ever have been.

Dy'd at *Dublin* Lieutenant-General *Davenport*.

Foreign Affairs.

On the 8th of this Month the *French* open'd the Trenches before St. *Sebastian*.

On the 9th, Dy'd at *Muett* Madame *Mary-Louissa-Elizabeth* Duchess of *Berry*: She was born *August* the 20th, 1695. and on the 6th of *July* 1710. was marry'd to Monsieur *Charles* of *France* Duke of *Berry*, who died the 4th of *May* 1714. Her Heart was the next Evening carried to *Val de Grace*, and the Night following her Corps to the Royal Abbey of St. *Denis*.

Dy'd this Month at *Naples* Count *John Wencessans de Gallasch* Vice-Roy of that Kingdom, in the Fiftieth Year of his Age.

We had an Account this Month of his Excellency the Lord *Carteret*'s Arrival at *Stockholm* the beginning of this Month. The Day after his Arrival, his Excellency

July.

ſent Mr. *Elliot* his Secretary to notify H Arrival to Count *Cronhielm* Preſident the Chancery: The ſame Evening his E cellency made him a Viſit. The Mor ing following, the Queen ſent M. *Dub* one of the Gentlemen of Her Chamber acquaint his Excellency ſhe was ready give him Andience. At three a-Clock the Afternoon, Her Majeſty ſent two Coach with ſix Horſes each, to conduct his E cellency to *Carleberg*, where he was ceiv'd with the Honours uſually ſhewn Ambaſſadors. After the Audience, H Majeſty appointed Count *Cronhielm*, Cou *Ducker*, Count *Taub*, Count *de la Gard* all four Senators, and M. *Hopkin* Secreta of State, to be Her Plenipotentiaries treat with his Exeellency; who, imm diately after he had left the Queen's A partment, went to the Prince of *He* and was receiv'd by his Royal Highneſs the moſt favourable manner, and they h a Conference together.

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SIXTH YEAR.

1719. August 1. THIS Day being the Anniverſary of His Majeſty's happy Acceſſion to the Throne of theſe Kingdoms, was celebrated with all Demonſtrations of Joy ſuitable to the great Occaſion.

4. Dy'd *Michael Hyde* Eſq; Commiſſary-General of the Muſters.

Mr. *Wates* made Prebendary of *Durham*, in the room of Dr. *Dolben*, promoted to the Golden Prebendary of that Cathedral.

Thomas Hewitt Eſq; (Surveyor-General of the King's Woods) made Surveyor of His Majeſty's Works, in the room of *William Benſon* Eſq;

Auguſt 4. Dy'd Sir *Charles Ingoldsby*, formerly a Jud
of the Court of Common-Pleas.

7. Mr. *Steele* Under-Maſter of St. *Paul*'s Schoo
elected Sur Maſter of the ſaid School; An
Mr. *Wyat* elected Under-Maſter in his room.
Dy'd Sir *Richard Parrington* Bart. Member
Parliament for the City of *Chicheſter*.

8. Dy'd *Benedict Hall* Eſq;

13. Dy'd *John* Lord *Colepepper* without Iſſue, b
whoſe Death the Title became extinct.
Herbert Lewis Eſq; appointed Cuſtomer an
Collector of the Duties on Wooll and Le
ther exported from *London*, in the roo
of *John Benſon* Eſq;

14. Dr. *Heathcot* an eminent Quaker and Phy
cian, being overturned in his Coach c
ming from *Hampſtead*, dy'd of the Bruiſe

16. Dy'd —— *Reney* Eſq; late Attorney-Gen
ral of *New-York*.

18. The Parliament met, and was farther pr
rogued to the 1ſt of *October*.

19. Ducheſs of *Bucks* delivered of a Still bo
Child.

21. Dy'd *Samuel Stebbing* Eſq; *Somerſet* Heral
and Secretary and Seal-Keeper to the Ear
Marſhal of *England*.

22. Dy'd *Mary* Counteſs-Dowager of *Northam
ton*, Mother of the preſent Earl.

25. Dy'd *John Dodd* Eſq; Son of the late Lor
Chief Baron *Dodd*.

27. —— *Cunningham* Eſq; of the Kingdom
Ireland, marry'd to Mrs. *Middleton* Neic
to the Lord *Onſlow*.

28. Sir *Henry Bedingfeild* Bart. marry'd to th
Lady *Elizabeth Boyle* Siſter to the Earl
Burlington.

Dy'

August 28. Dy'd Dr. *Ba'derſtone* Maſter of *Emanuel*-College *Cambridge*.

31. A Fire happen'd at *Meonſtoke* in *Com. Hants* which burnt near 30 Houſes; the Loſs being computed at 5000 *l.*

The Parliament of *Ireland* came to a Reſolution of granting a Supply to His Majeſty of 312,663 *l.* 18 *s.* 6 *d.* ½.

Foreign Affairs this Month.

The beginning of this Month the City of St. *Sebaſtian* ſurrender'd to the *French*, as did on the 6th the Caſtle: Soon after the Provinces of *Guipuſcoa* and *Alava* ſubmitted to the Obedience of the *French* King.

On the 7th, the Caſtle *Gonzaga* was taken by the *Imperialiſts*, together with the Tower *Di Faro*. On the 9th, the Town of *Meſſina* ſurrender'd, without making any Conditions. And on the 14th, the Army poſſeſſed themſelves (with very little Loſs) of the Caſtles of *Mattagriffone* and *Caſtellazzo*, the Garriſons, conſiſting of 200 Men, ſurrender'd at Diſcretion: In them were found 18 Pieces of Cannon, and ſome Ammunition.

On the 9th, the Nuptials between the Arch-Ducheſs *Mary-Joſepha* of *Auſtria* (eldeſt Daughter of the Emperor *Joſeph*) and *Frederick-Auguſtus* Electoral Prince of *Saxony*, were celebrated at the Imperial Palace of *La Favorita*: The Marriage was ſolemniz'd by Count *Sigiſmund de Collonitz* Prince Biſhop of *Vienna*.

August. On the 26th, the Town of *Marſtrand* in *Sweden* being bombarded by the *Daniſh* Admiral ſurrender'd upon Capitulation.

The latter End of this Month, the *Muſcovites* burnt *Nykoping* the third beſt Town in *Sweden*; and approaching *Norkoping*, the Inhabitants conveyed away what they cou'd their Effects, and ſet the Town on fire.

About this time the *Spaniards* retook *Pensacola* on the Coaſt of *Florida* from the *French*.

On the 31ſt, Prince *Lewis-Charles-William* ſecond Son of the King of *Pruſſia*, dy'd of a Dyſentery, in the Third Year of his Age.

September. 4. Captain *Eden* Waggon-Maſter-General to His Majeſty, dy'd of a Bruiſe he received on his Head in a Fray with the Watch in *Piccadilly*.

Mr. *Simmons* appointed Carpenter to His Majeſty, in the room of Mr. *Barker*.

5. Dy'd —— *Culliford* Eſq; formerly a Commiſſioner of the Cuſtoms.

7. Dy'd —— *Harris* D. D. R. S. S. and Rector of St. *Mildred*, *Bread-ſtreet*.

9. *John Matthews* a Printer committed to *Newgate*, a Bill of High-Treaſon being found againſt him.

Dr. *Walbroke* appointed one of His Majeſty's Chaplains, in the room of Dr. *Dunſtar* deceas'd.

Lady *Compton* Brought to Bed of a Son.

10. Dy'd at *Paris*, *Robert Keck* of the *Inner-Temple*, Eſq;

17. Marquis of *Carmarthen* marry'd to the Lady *Anne Seymour* third Daughter to the Duke of *Somerſet*.

Dy

Sept. 17. Dy'd Mrs. *Lloyd* Widow of the late Biſhop of *Worceſter*.

19. Counteſs of *Eſſex* Brought to Bed of a Daughter.

20. The Wife of the Biſhop of *Lincoln* Brought to Bed of a Daughter.

21. Vice-Admiral *Mighels* with the Kings Ships under his Command, and the Tranſports commanded by the Lord Viſcount *Cobham*, ſail'd from St. *Helen's*.

23 Dy'd Dr. *Lloyd* Son of the late Biſhop of *Worceſter*, and Chancellor of that Dioceſe.

Captain *Layton* kill'd by Mr. *Thompſon* at the *Mitre* Coffee-houſe in *Weſtminſter*.

Bacon Morris Eſq; Lieutenant-Governor of *Languard-Fort*; made Governor thereof in the room of *Francis Hammond* Eſq; deceas'd. And,

Hugh Plunket Eſq; made Lieutenant-Governor.

26. Dr. *Savage* unanimouſly elected Maſter of *Emanuel College* in *Cambridge*, in the room of Dr. *Balderſton* deceas'd.

Lady *Theodoſia Blyth* Daughter to the Earl of *Clarendon*, Brought to Bed of a Son.

27. Dy'd of an Apoplexy, Dr. *Smalridge* Biſhop of *Briſtol*, and Dean of *Chriſt-Church*, *Oxon*.

Dy'd Dr. *Smalwood* Chaplain to the Firſt Regiment of Foot-Guards; and Dr. *Grey* one of His Majeſty's Chaplains.

29. A Proclamation publiſhed for proroguing the Parliament to the 23d of *November*.

Mr. *Birch* made Chancellor of the Dioceſe of *Worceſter*, in the room of Dr. *Lloyd* deceas'd.

Mr. *Bladen* and *Daniel Pulteney* Eſqrs. appointed Commiſſaries for ſetting Matters with

Sept. 29. with the *French* King, undetermined by the Treaty of *Utretcht*.

Foreign Affairs this Month.

On the 3d, a Convention was concluded at *Stockholm* between *Great-Britain* and *Sweden*, eſtabliſhing a firm Alliance between thoſe Crowns and that of *Pruſſia*.

About this time, M. *Heuſch* the Elector of *Brunſwick*'s Reſident at *Berlin*, dy'd there. And

On the 6th, Dy'd, at the *Hague*, Baron *Gerſdorf* Envoy Extraordinary from the King of *Poland* to the *States General*.

On the 19th, the Count *de Rottembourg* the moſt Chriſtian King's Miniſter at *Berlin* ſigned an Act on the part of *France*, for Guarantying the Treaty concluded between the Crowns of *Great-Britain* and *Pruſſia*.

October 1. Mr. *Hall* a Tallow-chandler in *Southwark* ſhot through the Head and Belly by three Highway-men near *Charlton* in *Kent*, of which Wounds he dy'd immediately.

Dy'd Sir *Henry Johnſon* Member of Parliament for *Aldborough* in *Suffolk*.

Mr. *Wroth* of *Epſom* marry'd to the Viſcountеſs-Dowager of *Ikerine* of the Kingdom of *Ireland*.

Lady *Carteret* Brought to Bed of a Son.

7. Dy'd Mr. *Lorraine* Ordinary of *Newgate*.

Dy'd *Henry Ayres* of *Gray's-Inn*, Eſq;

10. Lady *Brooke* Brought to Bed of a Son.

Dy'd Sir *John Scott* Knt.

Mountague

October 13. *Mountague-Garrard Drake* Esq; Member of Parliament for *Amersham* in *Com. Bucks*, marry'd to Mrs. *Marshall*.

14. *Richard Godfrey* of the *Inner-Temple*, Esq; sworn one of the Masters in *Chancery*, in the room of Sir *Thomas Gery*.

Thomas Hewitt Esq; Sir *John Vanbrugh*, *Tobias Jenkins*, *Nicholas Dubois*, and *Grinlin Gibbons*, Esqrs. appointed Commissioners of His Majesty's Works.

16. Mr. *Thompson* acquitted of the Murder of Captain *Layton*; and *James Barber* a Beadle of St. *Martin's in the Fields*, found Guilty of the Murder of Captain *Eden*; but afterwards pardon'd by His Majesty.

20. Dr. *Boulter* one of the King's Chaplains, Arch-Deacon of *Surry*, and Minister of St. *Olave's*, *Southwark*, made Dean of *Christ-Church*, *Oxon*; and Bishop of *Bristol*.

Ninety seven Felons Convict transported to the Plantations in *America*.

23. The Convocation prorogued to the 4th of *December*.

24. Mr. *Love* kill'd in a Duel in *Leicester-fields* by Mr. *Purcell*.

Dy'd *Richard Wynne* Esq; in the 64th Year of his Age.

27. Dy'd *Gilbert* Earl of *Coventry*.

29. *Charles* Earl of *Suffolk* and *Bindon* sworn Lord Lieutenant of the County of *Essex*.

30. *John Matthews* found Guilty of High-Treason.

31. Countess *Stanhope* Brought to Bed of a Daughter.

Foreign

Foreign Affairs this Month.

October. On the 1st, the Town of *Vigo* surrender'd to the Lord *Cobham*, as did soon after the Citadel, upon Capitulation: Seven Ships were seized in the Harbour, and fitted out for Privateers; several Pieces of Ordnance and Quantities of Warlike Stores were taken out of the Town and Castle of *Vigo* and put on board the Fleet.

About this time *Urgel* surrender'd to the *French*.

On the 18th, the Citadel of *Messina* surrender'd to the Imperialists upon Capitulation, who took Possession of it the same Day, and of *Fort St. Salvator* on the 19th; and on the 20th, the Garrison, consisting of 900, marched out and embark'd; and thus ended this Campaign in *Sicily*.

The *French* retook *Perpignan* from the *Spaniards*, with five *Spanish* Merchants Ships in the Port.

On the 24th, the late Duke of *Ormond* sailed from St. *Andero* with seven Men of War, having on board 1800 Men and 100 Arms, with a Design to make a Descent on some of His Majesty's *British* Dominions.

On the 31st, His *Prussian* Majesty arrived at *Hanover*, and had frequent Conferences with the King of *Great-Britain*, with whom he dined every Day in Publick.

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Nov. 1. Dy'd *George Wilcocks* Esq; High-Bailiff of *Westminster*. And *Henry Trelawny* Esq; one of the Commissioners of the Victualling-Office, and Member of Parliament for *Fowey* in *Com. Cornwall*.

4. Dr. *Gooch* elected a third time Vice-Chancellor of the University of *Cambridge*.

6. *John Matthews* the Printer executed at *Tyburn* for High-Treason.

7. Mr. *Lewes* taken into Custody for writing a Pamphlet call'd *The Establishment*.

John Valentine Esq; Attorney-General in *New-England*, appointed Advocate-General of the Admiralty in that Colony.

Thomas Roberts Esq; made Register of the Warrants in the Custom-House, in the room of *Marmaduke Bealing* Esq;

9. Mr. *Lewes* admitted to Bail.

Mr. *Lavington* made Prebendary of *Worcester*, in the room of Dr. *Lloyd* deceas'd.

14. Vice-Admiral *Mighells*, with the Kings Ships under his Command, arriv'd at *Falmouth*.

15. The King arrived at St. *James's* from *Germany*.

16. The Lord Arch-Bishop of *Canterbury*, with other the Lords the Bishops, congratulated His Majesty on his safe Arrival, and on the Success of His Majesty's Affairs Abroad, returning their most humble Thanks for his gracious Favour to the poor Protestants in the *Palatinate*, and in *Poland* and *Lithuania*.

John Tash Esq; Sheriff of *London*; and *George Ludlam* Esq; Chamberlain of that City, Knighted.

Mr. *Billingsley*

Nov. 16. Mr. *Billingsley* made Arch-Deacon of *Surry*.
Robert Briſtow Eſq; made a Clerk-Comptrollor of the Green-Cloth.

22. *Charles* Earl of *Sunderland* elected a Knight-Companion of the moſt Noble Order of the Garter, at a Chapter of the Garter held at St. *James*'s.
Dy'd Dr. *Thorpe* one of the Prebendaries of *Canterbury*. And
Hugh Forteſcue of *Com. Devon*, Eſq;
Viſcounteſs *Wenman* of the Kingdom of *Ireland* deliver'd of a Son.
Thomas Hewitt Eſq; Surveyor-General of His Majeſty's Works, Knighted.

23. His Majeſty open'd the Seſſion of Parliament with a moſt gracious Speech.
Dy'd Dr. *Humphreys* Curate of St. *Andrew's Holborn*.

24. The Duke of *Bolton* arrived in *London* from his Government in *Ireland*.
Lord Biſhop of *London* marry'd to Mrs. *Cornwallis*.

26. Dy'd Dr. *Hudſon* Keeper of the *Bodleian* Library at *Oxford*.

28. Succeeded by *William King* L. L. D.
Dy'd the Honourable Captain *O-Bryan* Son of the late Earl of *Inchequin*, and Commander of His Majeſty's Ship *Rippon* in the *Mediterranean*.
About this time arrived Colonel *Stanhope* from *France*.
Dy'd *Richard Harnage* Eſq; Member of Parliament for *Biſhops-Caſtle* in *Com. Salop*.

30. Baron *Sparre* Envoy-Extraordinary from *Sweden*, had his firſt Private Audience of His Majeſty.

Dr. *Hanco*

Nov. 30. Dr. *Hancock* made Prebendary of *Canterbury*.
Dr. *King* choſen Principal of St. *Mary-Hall*, *Oxon*, in the room of Dr. *Hudſon* deceas'd.

Foreign Affairs this Month.

The Pope held a Conſiſtory, in which he made the following Promotion of Cardinals; *viz.* *Leo Potier de Gevres* Arch-Biſhop of *Bourges*, *Francis de Mailly* Arch-Biſhop of *Rheims*, *George Spinola* Nuncio at the Imperial Court, *Cornelio Bentivoglio* Nuncio at the Court of *France*, *Tho. Phil. de Boſſu* Arch-Biſhop of *Methlin*, *Lewis de Mongada* Biſhop of *Carthagena*, *Joſ. Pereira de la Corda* Biſhop of *Algarve*, *Michael Frederick de Van Althan* Biſhop of *Vaccia*, and *John Baptiſt Salerno* a Jeſuit.

The beginning of this Month a Ceſſation of Arms was proclaim'd between *Sweden* and *Denmark*.

About this time, Count *Ulricus-Chriſtian-Gyldenlewe* Natural Son of *Chriſtian* V. King of *Denmark*, dy'd at *Copenhagen*.

The Province of *Guelderland* came to a Reſolution to baniſh all Roman-Catholick Prieſts, and to have all Roman-Catholick Churches ſhut up, in caſe the Elector *Palatine* did not redreſs the Grievances of the Proteſtants in his Country.

On the 14th, the Siege of *Roſes* was rais'd.

The Ratifications of the Convention, concluded the 30th of *October*, between the Crowns of *Great-Britain* and *Denmark*, exchanged.

Decemb. 4. Both Houſes of Convocation prorogued to th
23d of *March*.

6. The Marquis *de Cortanſe* Envoy Extraordinar
from the King of *Sardinia*, had his fir
Private Audience of His Majeſty.

7. Dy'd the Lady of Sir *Harcourt Maſter* Kn
and Alderman of *London*.
Dy'd likewiſe *William Jones* Eſq; ſever
Years Chief Clerk to one of His Majeſty
Principal Secretaries of State.

8. Parliament of *Ireland* prorogued to the 2
of *June*.

9. Dy'd *Mary* Counteſs-Dowager of *Denbigh*.
Dy'd Dr. *Oliphant* Member of Parliament f
the Shires of ——— in *Scotland*.

10. M. *Wallenrodt* Envoy Extraordinary from t
King of *Pruſſia*, had his firſt Private A
dience of His Majeſty.

11. Counteſs of *Shrewsbury* Brought to Bed of
Son.
Daniel Prevreau Eſq; made Chief Clerk
Mr. Secretary *Craggs*'s Office, in the roo
of *William Jones* Eſq; deceas'd.
Nicholas Man Eſq; appointed Keeper of t
Standing Wardrobe at *Windſor-Caſtle*,
the room of *Thomas Hall* Eſq; deceas'd.

15. Dy'd *Milford Crow* Eſq; formerly Goverr
of *Barbadoes*. And
Thomas Bateman Eſq; formerly Comptro
of the Works at St. *Pauls*.

17. *Samuel Jordan* an Attorney at Law, ſtood
the Pillory, purſuant to his Sentence,
Subornation of Perjury.
Dy'd *William-George Creſſet* Eſq; a Comm
ſioner of the Wine-Licenſe Office.
Dy'd *Thomas* Lord *Fairfax*.

Dec. 22. The King gave the Royal Aſſent to
A Bill for granting to His Majeſty an Aid, by a Land-Tax to be raiſed in Great-Britain, *for the Service of the Year One thouſand ſeven hundred and Twenty.*
About this time Earl *Stanhope* ſet out for the Court of *France.*

24. Signior *Vincenzo Pucci* Secretary from the Great Duke of *Tuſcany*, had a Private Audience of His Majeſty.

25. Dy'd *Samuel Browning* Eſq; one of the Maſters in Chancery.

30. Dy'd *Henry Walter* Eſq; Land-Surveyor of the Cuſtoms; and alſo Surveyor to the *Eaſt-India* Company.

31. Dy'd the Wife of Colonel *Stanhope.*
Dy'd Mr. *John Flamſtead.*

Foreign Affairs this Month.

The States General of the *United Provinces* having acceded to the Quadruple Alliance, notified the ſame in Form to the King of *Spain.*

Cardinal *Alberoni* Chief Miniſter of *Spain*, remov'd from the Miniſtry, and baniſhed the King of *Spain*'s Dominions.

Count *Nimptſch* a Lord of the Emperor's Bed chamber, and Aulick Councellor, and the Abbot *Todeſchi*, being found Guilty of correſponding with the Emperor's Enemies; the firſt was degraded of all his Honours, and condemned to two Years Impriſonment; and the latter to be whipt by the Common Hangman.

December. About this time, the Infante Don *Philip* ſe-
cond Son of the King of *Spain*, dy'd a
Madrid, in the 8th Year of his Age.

ANNO 1720.

1720.

January 1. THE King receiv'd the Compliment
of the Nobility, Foreign Miniſters, &c
on the Occaſion of the New Year.

Dy'd Dr. *Douglaſs* Phyſician to the *South-Se*
Company's Factory at *Vera Cruz*.

2 Dy'd Baron *Schuylembergh* (Chamberlain t
the King at *Hanover*.)

3 Viſcounteſs *Grimſton* Brought to Bed of
Son.

4 Dy'd the Honourable *Harry Mordaunt* Eſq
Treaſurer of the Ordnance.

5. Dr. *Halley* Savilian-Profeſſor of Geometry
Oxford, obtain'd a Grant of the Roy
Obſervatory in *Greenwich-Park*.

6. A Fire broke out in the Houſe of M
Aſtell an eminent Merchant in *Auſti*
Fryars, which, in a few Hours, deſtroy
that and the next Houſe, and damag
ſeveral others. Mr. *Aſtell*'s Wife,
Daughter, and Infant Son, with its Nurſ
were all burnt in the Houſe; and a Se
vant-Maid who threw her ſelf out of t
Window to avoid the Flames, dy'd of t
Bruiſe in a few Hours after.

7. *James Lightboun* Eſq; ſworn a Maſter
Chancery, in the room of *Samuel Brow*
ing Eſq; deceas'd.

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January 7. *Charles Hudson* Esq; constituted His Majesty's Consul at *Algiers*.

Colen Campbel Esq; appointed Surveyor to the Prince of *Wales*.

Henry Cornelison of *Camberwel* in the County of *Surry*, Esq; marry'd to a Daughter of Mr. *Hoare* an eminent Banker of *London*.

10. M. *Hopman* Resident from the Duke of *Holstein*, and Councellor to the Duke of *Wolfembuttle*, had his first Private Audience of His Majesty at St *James's*.

Dr. *Offley* and Mr. *Burrel* appointed Chaplains in Ordinary to His Majesty, in the room of Dr. *Grey* deceas'd, and Dr. *Boulter* promoted to the See of *Bristol*.

12. Duchess of *Argyle* Brought to Bed of a Daughter.

Dy'd Sir *William Ashhurst* Knt. and Senior Alderman of *London*, and one of the Commissioners of the Excise.

Mr. *Reynolds* appointed Store-keeper at *Port-Mahon*, in the room of Mr. *Athyns*.

14. *Robert Heysham* Esq; elected Alderman of *Billingsgate-Ward*, in the room of Sir *William Ashhurst* deceas'd.

Captain *Collier* appointed Commander of the *Fubbs* Yacht, in the room of Captain *Wyvell*.

15. Earl *Stanhope* arriv'd in *London* from *Paris*.

Dy'd Mrs. *Mitchell* (Wife of *Robert Mitchell* of *Petersfield* in *Com. Hants*, Esq; and) Sister of *Charles* late Earl of *Halifax*.

16. Lord *Bruce* Son and Heir apparent to the Earl of *Ailesbury*, marry'd to the Lady *Juliana Boyle* Sister to the present Earl of *Burlington*.

Jan. 16. Mrs. *Griffin* condemn'd and afterwards exec
ted for the Murder of her Servant-Maid.

17. Dy'd *Thomas Hopkins* Esq; (formerly Unde
Secretary of State) Gauger-General
Ireland, and was succeeded in that E
ployment by *Edward Webster* Esq; w
had obtain'd a Reversionary Grant of t
Office.

18. His Majesty came to the House of Peers, a
gave the Royal Assent to
*A Bill for Continuing the Duties on Ma
Mum, Cyder, and Perry, for the Service
the Year 1720; and for Enabling the Lo
Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury
call in such Exchequer Bills as are to
cancelled and discharged, with Money
pointed for that Purpose.*
*A Bill for Punishing Mutiny and Desertion,
for the better Payment of the Army
their Quarters.*

21. A Proclamation publish'd, promising a
ward of 100 *l.* to such as should app
hend any Highway-man within five M
of *London.*
Captain *Robert Johnson* Knighted.
M. *Bonet* Resident from the King of *Pru*
had a Private Audience of Leave of
Majesty.
Dy'd Madam *D'Auverquerque* Mother of
present Earl of *Grantham*, in the
Year of her Age.
Dr. *Edward Jones* install'd Chancellor of
Cathedral of St. *Paul, London*, in the ro
of Dr. *Saunders* deceas'd.
Honourable *Coniers D'Arcy* Esq; appointed
ster of the Houshold to His Majesty, in
room of *Edmund Dunch* Esq; deceas'd.

Alexa

Jan. 24. *Alexander Cunningham* Esq; His Majesty's late Resident at *Venice*, being return'd from that Employment, deliver'd his Recredential Letter from the Duge of *Venice* to His Majesty.

M. *de Noery* Secretary from the King of *Sardinia*, had a Private Audience of Leave of His Majesty.

25. Dy'd *Roger Cumberbach* Esq; Recorder of *Chester*, and one of the Justices of the Grand Sessions in *North-Wales*.

27. Dy'd the Widow of Sir *John Russell* of *Chippenham* in *Com. Cambridge*.

Mr. *Purney* made Ordinary of *Newgate*, in the room of Mr. *Lorrain* deceas'd.

28. *Bernard Lens* junior, Esq; made Painter in Miniature to His Majesty, in the room of Mr. *Benjamin Ackland* deceas'd.

Joseph Bell Esq; made Deputy-Comptroller of the General Post-Office.

29. Dy'd Dr. *Adams* Provost of *King's-College*, *Cambridge*, Canon of *Windsor*, Rector of *Hornsey* in *Middlesex*, and of St. *Bartholomew's*, *London*.

30. Dy'd *Samuel Trotman* Esq; Member of Parliament for the City of *Bath*.

31. Dy'd *Thomas* Earl of *Stamford* in the 66th Year of his Age, without Issue, and was succeeded in Honour and Estate by *Harry Grey* of *Enveild-Hall* in *Com. Stafford*, Esq;

Benjamin Mildmay Esq; appointed a Commissioner of the Excise, in the room of Sir *William Ashhurst* deceas'd.

About this time *South-Sea* Stock was at 110 *per Cent.*

Foreign

Foreign Affairs this Month.

January. The Popiſh Churches in the Province of Z*land* ſhut up, by way of Repriſal for tho of the Proteſtants ſhut up in the *Palat nate*; as were likewiſe thoſe in the Cou try of *Rhinfeld*.

Mr. *Law* made Comptroller-General of t Finances in *France*.

On the 8th of this Month, dy'd at *Vienn* of an Apoplexy, the Empreſs-Mother, the 66th Year of her Age.

Dy'd Cardinal *De la Tremouille* at *Rome*.

On the 13th, the Miniſters of the Empero and the moſt Chriſtian King, met at t Earl *Cadogan*'s Houſe at the *Hague*, whe the Ratifications of the late Conventio for prolonging the Time allowed to *Spa* by the Quadruple Alliance, to accept the Conditions therein ſtipulated in f vour of that Crown, were mutually e changed.

Don *Felipe Antonio di Toboada* promoted the Arch-Biſhoprick of *Seville*, in t room of Cardinal *Alberoni*. The Po would never confirm that Grant by ſen ing the Cardinal his Bulls for that Pu poſe.

The Commandant of the Caſtle of *Ma ſtrand* (belonging to the Crown of *Swede* who ſurrender'd it up to the *Danes*, b ing condemned to loſe his Head, by t Commiſſioners appointed to inſpect in

January. his Conduct, was accordingly executed at *Stockholm.*

On the 22d, the Marquis *Beretti Landi* Ambaſſador of *Spain*, preſented to the *States General* certain Propoſitions of Peace, which he had received from *Madrid*, which their High Mightineſſes communicated to the Powers concerned in the Quadruple Alliance. And

On the 26th, an Act of Acceptation and Admiſſion of the Terms ſtipulated in the Treaty of Quadruple Alliance, without any Reſtriction, Limitation, or new Conditions, was ſign'd at *Madrid* by his Catholick Majeſty.

bruary 1. Dy'd *Henrietta* Counteſs of *Broadalbin.*

2. His Majeſty's full Powers diſpatched to the Earl *Cadogan* the *Britiſh* Ambaſſador and Plenipotentiary at the *Hague*, for ſigning, in Conjunction with the Miniſters of the ſeveral Allies in the Treaty of Quadruple Alliance, and with the Miniſter of the King of *Spain*, the proper Inſtruments for receiving His Catholick Majeſty's Acceptance of the Terms of Peace ſtipulated in that Treaty; and for treating of a Ceſſation of Arms between the ſeveral Powers engag'd in this War.

4. M. *le Coq* Envoy Extraordinary from the King of *Poland*, had his firſt Private Audience of His Majeſty (in that Character.)

Dy'd Major-General *Wroth* Member of Parliament for *Guilford* in *Surry*, and one of the Clerks of the Green-cloth.

Robert

February 4 *Robert Bailis* Esq; Alderman of *Bread-stre*
Ward, appointed one of the Commissione
for the Duties on Salt.

5. ——— *Onslow* Esq; made Treasurer of t
Post-Office.

Dy'd *Anthony Lechmere* Esq; Receiver-Ge
ral of the Customs, and Brother to
Attorney-General.

Elizabeth Powel a Printer taken into Cus
dy for Publishing Seditious and Treaso
ble Pamphlets.

Temple Stanyan Esq; appointed one of
Clerks of His Majesty's most Honoura
Privy-Council, in the room of his B
ther *Abraham Stanyan* Esq; Ambassa
Extraordinary at the *Ottoman Porte*.

10. Dy'd *Almerick* Earl of *Kinsale*.

Robert Ashurst Esq; chosen Governor of
Society for Propagating the Gospel in
reign Parts, in the room of his Fat
Sir *William Ashurst* deceas'd.

Dr. *Snape* Master of *Eaton-School* elected P
vost of *King's-College* in *Cambridge*, in
room of Dr. *Adams* deceas'd.

11. Earl of *Drogheda* of the Kingdom of *Irela*
marry'd to the eldest Daughter of
Right Honourable *Hugh Boscawen* E
Comptroller of His Majesty's Housho'd

William Pate Esq; appointed Comptroller
the Penny Post-Office.

Dy'd *Dudley Woodbridge* Esq; Judge-Ad
cate in the Island of *Barbadoes*, and Ag
for the *South-Sea* Company there.

16. Sir *Robert Corbett* Bart. Knight of the Sh
for the County of *Salop*, appointed Cle
Comptroller of the Green-cloth, in
room of Maior-General *Wroth*, deceas'd

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Feb. 16. A Blaſphemous Pamphlet, intituled, *A Sober Reply to Mr.* Higgs's *Merry Argument of the Light of Nature*, for the Tritheiſtick Doctrine of the Trinity, *&c.* burnt by the Hands of the Common Hangman, by order of the Houſe of Lords, and the Author (Mr. *Hall*) one of the Serjeants at Arms to His Majeſty, remov'd from his Office, and ſucceeded by *Edward Horner* Eſq.

William Eſte jun. Eſq; appointed a Commiſſioner of the Wine-Licenſes, in the room of Mr. *Creſſet* deceas'd.

17. Dy'd *John Hughes* Eſq; Secretary of the Commiſſions of Peace under my Lord Chancellor.

19. Dy'd Colonel *Levingſtone*. And

Mr. *Incledon* Yeoman Uſher of the Black-Rod, and Houſe-keeper to the Houſe of Lords.

Mr. *Mackintoſh* (one of the *Preſton*-Rebels, who had formerly been confined in *Newgate*, and made his Eſcape from thence) taken at an Inn in *Alderſgate-ſtreet*, and recommitted to *Newgate*.

About this time, the two Inſtruments of His Catholick Majeſty's Acceſſion to the Convention made at *Paris*, and to the Treaty of *London*, arriv'd from the *Hague*.

About the ſame time, the Inſtrument of the Treaty of Friendſhip and Alliance concluded between His Majeſty and the Crown of *Sweden*, arriv'd from *Stockolm*.

20. Dy'd Serjeant *Hoo*,

John Worley Eſq; and

John Cotter Eſq;

21. Dy'd the Widow of Sir *Owen Buckingham* late Lord-Mayor of *London*.

Dy'd

Feb. 21. Dy'd the Lady of Sir *Charles Peers* Knt. and Alderman of *London*.

22 Dy'd Dr. *Fayrer* Profeſſor of Divinity in *Magdalen-College*, and of Natural Philoſophy, in the Univerſity of *Oxford*.

Dy'd Sir *George Maxwell* Bart.

Dy'd *Henry Canby* Eſq; Surveyor of the Searchers in the Port of *London*.

24. Marquis *de Sennettere* Ambaſſador Extraordinary from the Moſt Chriſtian King, had his firſt Private Audience of His Majeſty.

Dy'd *Thomas Stevens* Eſq; Knight of the Shire for the County of *Glouceſter*.

Dy'd Captain *Leake* Son of Sir *John Leake* Knt. and formerly Admiral of the —— Squadron.

25. —— *Saunderſon* Eſq; made Yeoman-Uſher of the Black-Rod, in the room of Mr. *Incledon* deceas'd.

Robert Throgmorton Eſq; marry'd to the Lady *Tereſa Powis*, Daughter of the Lord *Powis*.

26. Dy'd Sir *Edmund Prideaux* Bart. Member of Parliament for *Tregony* in *Com. Cornwall*.

Mr. *Incledon* made Houſe-keeper of the Houſe of Lords, in the room of his Father deceas'd.

Thomas Wylde of *Com. Worceſter*, Eſq; marry'd to a Daughter of Judge *Tracy*.

28. A Proclamation publiſh'd, Declaring the Suſpenſion of Arms by Sea between His Majeſty and the Catholick King, and enjoining the Obſervance thereof.

A Fire broke out in *Barnaby-ſtreet*, *Southwark*.

29. Dy'd Captain *Murray* Pay-maſter of the Lottery *Anno* 1714.

Dy'd

Feb. 29. Dy'd Sir *Edward Manſell* Bart.
Dy'd *Thomas Johnſon* Eſq;
South-Sea Stock 174 *per Cent.*

Foreign Affairs this Month.

The Ceremony of the Eſpouſals of Mademoiſelle *de Valois* ſecond Daughter to the Duke Regent of *France*, with the Hereditary Prince of *Modena*, was performed in the Cloſet of the *French* King in the Palace of the *Louvre* at *Paris*; and the next Morning the Solemnity of the Marriage was celebrated in the King's Chapel at the *Thuilleries* by the Cardinal *de Roban* Grand Almoner of *France*; the Duke *de Chartres* Brother to that Princeſs being Proxy for the Prince of *Modena*.

On the 4th, a Declaration was publiſh'd at *Paris* in the King's Name, forbidding all the Subjects of *France* to wear any Diamonds or other Jewels after the 1ſt of *March*, without His Majeſty's expreſs Permiſſion firſt obtained in Writing, on pain of Confiſcation, and a Fine of 10000 Livres; forbidding likewiſe the bringing any into the Kingdom after the 1ſt of *April* next.

On the 16th, the Earl *Cadogan*, Count *Morville*, and the Marquis *Beretti Landi* met at Prince *Maurice*'s Houſe at the *Hague*, and ſign'd the Convention made at *Paris* the 1ſt of *July* 1718. and the next Day the ſaid Miniſters, with Count *Windiſchgratz*, ſign'd the Treaty of *London* of the 2d of *Auguſt* 1718.

February. This Month a Treaty of Peace was concluded between the Crowns of *Sweden* and *Prussia* by the Mediation of the King of *Great-Britain*, and the Most Christian King.

A Proclamation was publish'd at *Paris*, expressly forbidding all Subjects of the Emperor, of the King of *Great-Britain*, and of the States-General of the *United Provinces*, who have been already, or should be hereafter declared Rebels, to come into or abide in that Kingdom.

The latter End of this Month, Cardinal *Alberoni* and his Secretary, together with all his Papers, were seiz'd at *Sestri*, by Order of the Republick of *Genoa*, at the Pope's Request.

Count *Sparre*, Baron *Stromfeldt*, and M. *Van Stahdew*, nominated by the Queen of *Sweden* to be her Plenipotentiaries at the Congress to be held at *Brunswick*.

March 1. *William Bateman* Esq; marry'd to the Lady *Anne Spencer* Daughter of the Earl of *Sunderland*.

Dy'd the Marquis of *Winchendon* only Son of the Duke of *Wharton*, at the Age of Eleven Months.

Dy'd *Francis Mundy* of *Com Leicester*, Esq;

3. Dy'd *Thomas Powys* Esq; eldest Son of the late Sir *Thomas Powys* Knt.

Robert Bristow Esq; appointed one of the Clerks of the Green-cloth, in the room of the Honourable *William Coventry* Esq now Earl *Coventry*.

Samuel Snow an Exchange Broker Condemn'd and afterwards Executed, for Robbing the *Bristol* Mail.

Henry

March 3. *Henry Mills* convicted on three Indictments for Enticing Artificers into Foreign Parts; fin'd 50 *l.* for each Offence, to be imprison'd three Months, and till the Fines were paid.

Mark-Anthony de la Porte (a Popish Priest) convicted of Exercising his Function here, by marrying a Couple, condemn'd to Perpetual Imprisonment.

5. *Owen Buckingham* Esq; Member of Parliament for *Reading* in *Com. Berks*, kill'd in a Duel by *William Aldworth* Esq; Member of Parliament for *New-Windsor* in the same County.

7. Dy'd the Viscount *Ikerine* of the Kingdom of *Ireland*.

Dy'd Dr. *Kimberley* Dean of *Litchfield*, and Prebendary of *Westminster*.

Dy'd *John Morgan* Esq; Knight of the Shire, and Lieutenant of the County of *Monmouth*.

8. Dy'd *Thomas Highmore* Esq; Serjeant-Painter to His Majesty. And

James Thornhill Esq; appointed to succeed him in that Office.

10. Duke of *Queensberry* marry'd to the Lady *Catharine Hyde* Daughter of the Earl of *Rochester*.

The Reverend Mr. *Walmesly* made Dean of *Litchfield*.

Robert Carter Esq; appointed one of the Judges of the Grand Sessions in *Wales*, in the room of *Roger Cumberbach* Esq; deceas'd.

Thomas Parker Esq; Secretary to the Commissions of Lunacy and Idiocy, appointed

March 10. to ſucceed Mr. *Hughes* deceas'd, as Secre
tary to the Commiſſion of the Peace.
Dy'd the Lady of Sir *Richard Groſvener* o
Com. Cheſter, Bart.
Richard Mather Eſq; made Recorder o
Cheſter.
Dy'd Mr. *Williams* one of the Gentleme
and Clerk of the Cheque of His Majeſty'
Chapel Royal at St. *James*'s; ſucceeded i
the former of thoſe Offices by Mr. *Bell*.
Dy'd Mr. *Jones* Apothecary in Ordinary t
His Majeſty's Houſhold.
Succeeded in that Employment by *Hug*
Trimnel Gent. Brother to the Biſhop o
Norwich.
11. Earl *Stanhope* ſet out for the Court of *Franc*
15. Dy'd *David* Earl of *Wemys*.
A Fire broke out near the *Hermitage-Stai*
in St. *Catherine*'s, which did conſiderab
Damage.
21. Dy'd ——— *De la Fae*, M. D.
Henry Hawkins Eſq; appointed Surveyor
the Cuſtoms in the Port of *London*, in t
room of Mr. *Walter* deceas'd.
22. *William* Earl of *Coventry* ſworn Lord Lie
tenant of the County of *Worceſter*, in t
room of the late Duke of *Shrewsbury*, a
one of His Majeſty's moſt Honourable Pri
Council.
23. The Convocation met, purſuant to their l
Prorogation, and were farther prorogu
to the 20th of *May* following.
Philip York of the *Middle-Temple*, Lond
Eſq; Member of Parliament for *Lewes*
Suſſex, appointed His Majeſty's Solicito
General, in the room of Sir *William Thom*
ſon, Knt.

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March 23. A Proclamation publiſh'd for the better Diſcovering and Apprehending Deer-Stealers, promiſing a Reward of 100 *l.* to any Perſon Apprehending the Offender.

Dy'd Sir *William Holford* Bart. Fellow of *New-College*, *Oxon.*

Earl of *Inchequin* of the Kingdom of *Ireland*, marry'd to the Lady *Anne Hamilton* Daughter of the Earl of *Orkney*.

26. Dy'd Dr. *Alexander Roſs* Biſhop of *Edinburgh*, Aged Seventy four. He was the laſt ſurviving of the Biſhops depriv'd *Anno* 1689.

27. Mr. *Burrell* made Surveyor of the Searchers in the Port of *London*, in the room of Mr. *Canby* deceas'd.

Dy'd ——— Earl of *Montrath* of the Kingdom of *Ireland*.

The Honourable *William Finch* Eſq; ſecond Son of the Earl of *Nottingham*, appointed His Majeſty's Envoy Extraordinary to the Court of *Sweden*. And

Robert Jackſon Eſq; appointed His Majeſty's Reſident at that Court.

A Duel fought between the Duke of *Douglaſs* and the Earl of *Dalkeith*, in which both were wounded.

28. Dy'd *George Doddington* of *Com. Dorſet*, Eſq. Lieutenant and *Cuſtos Rotulorum* for *Com. Somerſet*, and Member of Parliament for *Bridgewater* in the ſaid County. He was ſucceeded in his Eſtate by *George Bubb* Eſq; who thereupon took the Name of *Doddington*.

——— *Dickenſon* Eſq; made Secretary of the Commiſſions of Lunacy, Idiocy, and Appeals, in the room of *Thomas Parker* Eſq;

March 28. Dy'd the Lady *Brooke* of an Apoplexy: Th
Fit ſeiz'd her as ſhe was taking the Ai
in *Hyde-Park.*

Sir *Robert Sutton* late Ambaſſador at the *Otto*
man Porte, appointed His Majeſty's Envo
Extraordinary to the *French* Court; an
Robert Sutton Eſq; appointed Secretary t
the Embaſſy.

Dy'd *Henry Trenchard* Eſq; Member of Parlia
ment for *Dorcheſter.*

A Duel fought between the Lord *William*
Johnſton Son of the Marquis of *Annandale*
and Captain *Roe* of the Foot-Guards.

Thomas Pembroke Eſq; appointed one of th
Commiſſioners of Bankrupts.

The Reverend Mr. *Ayerſt*, who was Chaplai
and Secretary to the Earl of *Strafford* a
the Congreſs of *Utrecht*, appointed Chap
lain to Sir *Robert Sutton.*

The latter End of this Month dy'd a Lad
at her Lodgings in *James-ſtreet*, *Covent*
Garden, who, though ſhe left behind he
an immenſe Eſtate in Jewels, Money, &c
and was expos'd for ſeveral Days to th
View of all People who deſired to ſe
her, was never own'd by any body, no
cou'd it ever be diſcover'd who ſhe wa
By her Appearance ſhe was believ'd to b
a Perſon of Diſtinction and Quality. Sh
was buried privately by the Direction o
Mr. *Ward* of *Hackney*, to whom ſhe ha
directed a Letter, which was found in he
Box among her Jewels, after her Deceaſe.

South Sea Stock 305.

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Foreign Affairs this Month.

March. The Elector *Palatine*, who had ſome time ſince ſeized the Church of the *Holy Ghoſt* at *Heidelberg*, belonging to the Proteſtants, declared to the Miniſters of the Proteſtant Powers there, that he was determin'd to reſtore the ſaid Church to the Proteſtants.

A Declaration was publiſh'd in *France*, Directing the Diminution of the Species, the *Lewis d'Ors* were reduc'd in a Day's time one eighth of the Value, and all other Gold Coins proportionably; and in twelve Days more another eighth; and in one Month after, the Uſe of Gold Coins entirely aboliſhed; and after the 1ſt of *June* not to be received at the Mints, but to be confiſcated where-ever they were found, with all the Moveables of the Perſon to whom they belonged. The Silver ſuffer'd a proportionable Reduction; and on the 1ſt of *Auguſt* (except Livres and Pieces of leſs Value) was to ceaſe to be current.

This Month the Earl *Cadogan* ſigned, with the Imperial, *French*, *Spaniſh*, and *Sardinian* Miniſters, the Inſtruments of the King of *Sardinia*'s Admiſſion of His Catholick Majeſty's Acceſſion to the Treaty of *London*.

The Emperor, in the Pope's Name, gave the Red Caps to the Cardinals *Georgio Spinola* the Pope's Nuncio at the Imperial Court, and Count *Michael Frederick d'Althan* Biſhop of *Vaccia*. Both Cardinals went in the Morning to Court with a ſplendid Equipage

March. Equipage and Retinue: Cardinal *Spinola* had three Coaches drawn by ſix Horſes, and another Coach with two Horſes: Count *Althan* had likewiſe three Coaches drawn by ſix Horſes, which were followed by four more drawn by two Horſes each. Their Eminences were in Purple, and their Servants in rich Liveries. They attended the Emperor from the Palace to the Church of the Bare-footed *Auguſtin* Friars, where the Ceremony was perform'd in the following manner: Count *Collonitz* Prince Biſhop of *Vienna* ſaid Maſs in his *Pontificalia*; after which Signior *Spinelli* and Signior *Valenti Gonzaga*, Gentlemen of the Pope's Bed-chamber, whom he had ſent thither with the Caps for the Cardinals, took each a Gilt Silver Baſon, which were plac'd on a ſmall Table ſtanding between the Imperial Throne and the Desk, behind which the Cardinals ſate, in which Baſons were the Popes Letters tranſmitted thither on this Occaſion, and preſented them to the Emperor, who order'd them to be read aloud. This done, they took each another Baſon in which were the Red Caps, and the Cardinals one after the other approach'd the Throne, where the Emperor holding his own Hat with the Left Hand, with the Right put the Cap on the Cardinal's Head, covering himſelf at the ſame time; the Ceremony was concluded with ſinging *Te Deum*: Afterwards the Cardinals attended the Emperor to Court where they appeared in His Majeſty's Preſence, during his Dinner, with their Red Hats on; from thence they went to

ſplendi

March. ſplendid Entertainment provided for them by Count *Michael-John d'Althan* Councillor of State, and Maſter of the Horſe to the Emperor.

This Month Cardinal *Alberoni* was releas'd from his Confinement.

A Peace between the Crowns of *Sweden*, *Pruſſia*, and *Hanover* was proclaim'd at *Stockholm*; and a Preliminary Treaty between *Sweden* and *Denmark* was ſettled by the Mediation of the Lord *Carteret* His *Britannick* Majeſty's Miniſter at *Stockholm*.

On the 21ſt, Earl *Cadogan* ſet out from the *Hague* for the Court of *Berlin*, where he was to reſide with a Publick Character.

This Month *Xacca* ſurrender'd to the Imperialiſts.

The Prince of *Heſſe* Conſort of the Queen of *Sweden*, proclaim'd King of *Sweden*.

April 2. Earl *Stanhope* arriv'd in *London* from the Court of *France*.

3. ——— *Symms* Eſq; marry'd to a Daughter of *Matthew-Duey Moreton* Eſq;

4. Dy'd Dr. *Chetwood* Dean of *Glouceſter*.

——— *Murray* Eſq; appointed Pay-Maſter of the Lottery, *Anno* 1714. in the room of his Brother deceas'd.

5. Mr. *Smith* and Mr. *Campbel*, two Highwaymen, fought a Duel in *Mancheſter-Court*, *Weſtminſter*, in which the latter was kill'd on the Spot: *Smith* was, on his Tryal for the Murder, found Guilty of Manſlaughter; but being Convicted of Robbing on the High Way, was executed for it at *Maidſtone*.

Earl

April 5. Earl of *Dalkeith* marry'd to the Lady *Jane Douglaſs* Siſter to the Duke of *Queensberry*.

Jonathan Smith Eſq; Serjeant of the Chapel at St. *James*'s, made Clerk of the Cheque to the ſaid Chapel, in the room of Mr. *Williams* deceas'd.

Dy'd the Lady *Chriſtiana Gayer* Relict of Sir *Robert Gayer*, and Siſter to the Earl of *Ailesbury*.

7. *William Heathcote* of *Com. Hants*, Eſq; marry'd to the only Daughter of the Lord Chancellor *Parker*.

Dy'd *William Jordaine* Eſq; Member of Parliament for *Rygate* in *Com. Surry*.

The Reverend Mr. *Manningham* Chaplain to the Houſe of Commons, made Prebendary of *Weſtminſter*, in the room of Dr. *Kimberley* deceas'd.

Dy'd *Giles Clerk* Eſq; Secondary of the King's-Bench.

His Majeſty gave the Royal Aſſent to

An Act for Enabling the South-Sea *Company to Increaſe their preſent Capital Stock and Fund, by Redeeming ſuch Publick Debts and Incumbrances as are therein mentioned; and for Raiſing Money to be applied for Leſſening ſeveral of the Publick Debts and Incumbrances; and for Calling in the preſent Exchequer Bills remaining Uncancelled; and for Making forth new Bills in the lieu thereof, to be Circulated and Exchanged, upon Demand at or near the Exchequer.*

An Act for the Better Securing the Dependencies of the Kingdom of Ireland *upon the Crown of* Great-Britain.

An Act for Preventing the Carriage of Exceſſive Loads of Meal, Malt, Bricks, and Coal

April 7. *Coals within Ten Miles of the Cities of* London *and* Weſtminſter.

An Act for Repairing the Roads from Stevenidge *in* Com. Hertford, *to* Biggleſwade *in* Com. Bedford.

An Act to Continue the Acts formerly made for Repairing the Highways in Com. Hertford, *therein mentioned; and for making the ſaid Act more Effectual.*

An Act for making the River Darwent *in* Com. Derby, *Navigable.*

An Act for Making the River Douglaſs *alias* Aſtland, *Navigable from the River* Ribble *to* Wigan *in* Com. Palatine *of* Lancaſter.

An Act for Preſerving and Improving the Navigation of the River Ouze *in* Com. Huntingdon.

An Act for Making the River Idle *Navigable from* Eaſt-Redford *in* Com. Nottingham, *to* Bawtry-Wharf *in* Com. York.

An Act for Laying a Duty of Two Pennies Scots, *or One ſixth Part of a Penny ſterling, upon every Pint of Ale or Beer that ſhall be Vended or Sold within the Town of* Montroſe, *and Privileges thereof, for Supplying the ſaid Town with Freſh Water, and for other Purpoſes therein mentioned.*

An Act for Laying a Duty of Two Pennies Scots, *or One ſixth Part of a Penny ſterling, upon every* Scots *Pint of Beer or Ale Vended or Sold within the Town of* Brunt-Iſland, *and Liberties thereof, for Increaſing the Publick Revenue of the ſaid Town, and for other Purpoſes therein mentioned.*

An Act for Laying a Duty of Two Pennies Scots, *or One ſixth Part of a Penny ſterling, upon every Pint of Beer and Ale that ſhall be Vended*

April 7. *Vended or Sold within the Town of* Pittenweem, *and Liberties thereof, for the Repairing the Harbour there, and for maintaining other Publick Works of the ſaid Town.*

And to ſeveral Private Bills.

12. His Majeſty gave the Royal Aſſent to

An Act for Making forth new Exchequer Bills not exceeding 1,000,000, at a certain Intereſt, and for Lending the ſame to the South-Sea Company at a higher Intereſt upon Security of Repaying the ſame, and ſuch Intereſts into the Exchequer, for Uſes to which the Fund for Leſſening the Publick Debts (called the Sinking Fund) is applicable; and for Circulating and Exchanging, upon Demand, the ſaid Bills at or near the Exchequer.

And to one Private Bill.

Giles Earle of *Com. Wilts*, Eſq; appointed to ſucceed *John Charlton* Eſq; in his Office of Clerk of the Green-cloth.

Dy'd the Reverend Mr. *Yeates* Arch-Deacon of *Wilts*.

Dy'd Dr. *Digby* Biſhop of *Elphin* in *Ireland*.

Dy'd *Reynold Calthorpe* Eſq; Member of Parliament for *Hindon* in *Com. Wilts*.

The Reverend Dr. *Waugh* Rector of St. *Peter Cornhill*, made Dean of *Glouceſter*, in the room of Dr. *Chetwood* deceas'd.

A Patent paſs'd the Seals for the Pardon of Captain *Leonard*, on Condition he tranſported himſelf out of His Majeſty's Dominions.

15. Dy'd Dr. *Aldworth Campden* Profeſſor of Hiſtory, and Fellow of *Magdalen-College Oxon.*

Mr. *Ruſ*

April 15. Mr. *Russel* Fellow of *Merton-College*, *Oxon* made Prebendary of *Peterborough*, in the room of Mr. *Blackwell* deceas'd.

Dy'd *William Bray* Esq; Knight of the Shire for *Com. Monmouth.*

Sir *Basil Dixwell* marry'd to a Daughter of Mr. *Longueville* of the *Temple.*

Dy'd Colonel *Grant* of the Lord *Shannon*'s Regiment of Foot.

Captain *Pyott* made Major of Brigadier *Ferrer*'s Regiment, in the room of Major *Keeting* deceas'd.

16. Sir *John Norris* sail'd from the *Nore* for the *Baltick*, with a Squadron of twenty three Men of War, one Bomb-Vessel, and two Fire-Ships.

18. A Petition from *Poole*, presented to His Majesty by *Dennis Bond* Esq; Member of Parliament for ——— humbly praying a Convoy for the *Portuguese*, *Spanish*, and *Newfoundland* Trade, to secure their Ships and Men from the *Sallee* Rovers, Pirates, *&c.* and to restrain Ships of War from Trading and Carrying Freights. Which Petition His Majesty receiv'd very graciously.

21. Dy'd the Lord Viscount *Baltinglass* of the Kingdom of *Ireland.*

Dy'd Sir *Henry Oxenden* Bart. Member of Parliament for the Port of *Sandwich* in *Com. Kent.*

Princess *Anne* Daughter of the Prince of *Wales*, taken ill of the Small-Pox.

23. The Prince of *Wales* waited on His Majesty at St. *James*'s. And

24. Was with His Majesty at Chappel at St. *James*'s, when the Duke of *Devonshire* carry'd the Sword of State before the King.

April 29. *John Keine* (a Priſoner in the Compter for Debt) condemn'd for the Murder of his Wife. And

George Davis for robbing the Sword-Blade Company, (being their Servant in the Office.) They were both executed afterwards, purſuant to their Sentence, at *Tyburn*.

Elizabeth Cranburne was Convicted at the ſame Seſſion, for Poiſoning her Father-in-Law.

30. Dy'd Sir *George Piers* Bart. one of the Clerks of the Privy-Seal.

The following Foreign Miniſters had Private Audience of the Prince of *Wales*,

Envoy Extraordinary from the King of *Portugal*.
Envoy Extraordinary from *Pruſſia*.
Envoy Extraordinary from *Sweden*.
Ambaſſador Extraordinary from *France*.
Envoy Extraordinary from *Poland*.
Envoy Extraordinary from *Lorrain*.
Reſident from the Duke of *Holſtein*.
Secretary from the *Grand Duke*.
Secretary from the Duke of *Modena*.
Envoy Extraordinary from the King of *Sardinia*.

They were introduc'd by Sir *Clement Cottrel* Knt. Maſter of the Ceremonies.

Count *Teſſin* (ſent Expreſs to notify the Election of the Hereditary Prince of *Heſſe Caſſel* to the Crown of *Sweden*) had a Private Audience of His Majeſty.

Mr. *Clarke* Receiver of the Stamp Duties in the North of *England*, having gone off with the King's Money to *Rotterdam*, and bought a Burgherſhip there, was, at the Inſtance

April 30. Inſtances of the *Britiſh* Miniſter at the *Hague*, ſeiz'd and ſent over to *England* and brought to Town in Cuſtody of a Meſſenger.

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M. *Rechteren* Governor of *Tournay*, and other Officers of that Garriſon, ſuſpended from their Office a Year, and their Pay cut off during that time, for accepting Preſents of the Town, contrary to their Oath.

Earl *Cadogan* ſet out on the 12th from the Court of *Berlin* for that of *Vienna*.

The Canon *Gandolfo*, who harboured Cardinal *Alberoni* at his Houſe at *Seſtri*, impriſoned.

The beginning of this Month dy'd, at *Paris*, *James Drummond* late Earl of *Perth*. And at *Rome*,

Thomas Packington Eſq; Son of Sir *John Packington*.

On the 25th, O. S. A Convention for the Evacuation of *Sicily*, ſign'd by the Count *de Merci* on the part of the Emperor, by the Marquis *de Lede* on the part of the King of *Spain*, and Sir *George Byng* on the part of His *Britannick* Majeſty.

On the 27th, O. S. A Convention for the Evacuation of *Sardinia*, ſign'd in the Imperial and *Spaniſh* Camps near *Palermo* by the Count *de Merci*, the Marquis *de Lede*, and Sir *George Byng*.

May 2. Dr. *Harriſon* Fellow of *All-Souls-College, Oxon* elected *Campden*-Profeſſor of Hiſtory, in the room of Dr. *Aldworth* deceas'd.

Count *Teſſin* Miniſter from the *Swediſh* Court had a Private Audience of the Prince of *Wales.*

5. *Robert Myddleton* of *Chirk-Caſtle* in *Com. Denbigh*, Eſq. marry'd to a Daughter of the Lady *Read.*

Robert Tothill Eſq; appointed one of the Clerks of the Signet, in the room of Sir *George Piers* Knt. deceas'd.

6. *James Thornhill* Eſq; His Majeſty's Serjeant-Painter, Knighted.

7. Envoy Extraordinary from *Sweden,*
Envoy Extraordinary from *Poland,*
Envoy Extraordinary from *Pruſſia,*
Secretary from the Great Duke of *Tuſcany,*
Envoy Extraordinary from the King of *Sardinia,* had Private Audiences of the Princeſs of *Wales.*

9. Sir *Robert Raymond* Knt. Member of Parliament for *Ludlow* in *Com. Salop*, appointed His Majeſty's Attorney-General, in the room of *Nicholas Lechmere* Eſq;

M. *Bonet* late Reſident from the King of *Pruſſia*, had a Private Audience of Leave of the Prince and Princeſs of *Wales.*

Ambaſſador Extraordinary from *France,*
Envoy Extraordinary from *Portugal,*
Envoy Extraordinary from *Lorrain,*
Reſident from the Duke of *Holſtein,*
Secretary to the Duke of *Modena*, had Private Audiences of the Princeſs of *Wales.*

John Plumptree Eſq; Member of Parliament for *Nottingham*, appointed Treaſurer and Pay-

May 9. Pay-maſter of His Majeſty's Ordnance, in the room of *Harry Mordaunt* Eſq; deceas'd.

10. Dy'd the Reverend Mr. *Spratt* of the Gout: He was Son of the late Biſhop of *Rocheſter*, and Arch-Deacon of that Cathedral, and Prebendary of *Weſtminſter*, *Wincheſter*, and *Rocheſter*.

11. Dy'd the Lady *Frances Seymour* Daughter of the Duke of *Somerſet*.

Dy'd the Lord *John Cavendiſh* Son of the Duke of *Devonſhire*.

The Reverend Mr. *Charles Trelawney* Son of the Biſhop of *Wincheſter*, made Prebendary of *Wincheſter*, in the room of Mr. *Spratt* deceas'd.

12. Captain *Lennard* pleaded His Majeſty's Pardon at the King's-Bench Bar, and gave Security to Tranſport himſelf, purſuant to the Terms of the ſaid Pardon.

John Tench Eſq; made Clerk of the Patents to the Attorney-General, in the room of Mr. *Grub*.

15. *John Hare* Eſq; *Richmond* Herald, upon ſome Diſcontent unknown, ſhot himſelf, and dy'd ſoon after.

Mr. *Craig* made Prebendary of *Weſtminſter*, in the room of Mr. *Spratt* deceas'd.

George Gore Eſq; His Majeſty's Attorney-General in *Ireland*, made one of the Judges of the Common-Pleas in that Kingdom, in the room of Sir *Gilbert Dolben*. And

John Rogerſon Eſq; made Attorney-General, in the room of Mr. *Gore*.

17. Count *Staremberg* Counſellor of State and Miniſter Plenipotentiary from the Emperor, had his firſt Private Audience of His Majeſty. And

May 18. Had a Private Audience of the Prince of *Wales.*

About 100 Felons Convict were put on board a Veſſel in order for Tranſportation.

Robert Durdaſs Eſq; Solicitor-General in *North-Britain*, made Lord-Advocate there, in the room of Sir *David Dalrymple.* And *Walter Steward* made Solicitor-General in his room.

15. Count *Teſſin*, who came Expreſs to notify the Election of the New King of *Sweden*, had a Private Audience of Leave of His Majeſty.

Colonel *John Middleton* made Lieutenant-Colonel to the Lord *Shannon*'s Regiment, in the room of Colonel *Grace* deceas'd.

William Burnet Eſq; appointed Captain-General and Governor in Chief of His Majeſty's Provinces in *New-York* and *New-Jerſey*, in the room of *Robert Hunter* Eſq; who ſucceeded Mr. *Burnet* as Comptroller-General of the Accounts of the Cuſtoms.

A Proclamation publiſh'd for putting in Execution the Laws and Statutes of this Realm, for the Preventing the Exportation of Wooll, Wooll-Fells, Woollen-Yarn, Mortlings, Shorlings, Wooll-Flocks, Fullers-Earth, and Fulling-Clay.

20. Count *Teſſin* had Private Audiences of Leave of the Prince and Princeſs of *Wales.*

Both Houſes of Convocation met at *Weſtminſter*, and were farther prorogued to the 29th of *October* following.

21. *John Chardin* of the *Inner-Temple*, Eſq; created a Baronet of *Great-Britain.*

Dr. *Downe*

May 21. Dr. *Downes* Biſhop of *Killala* and *Achonry* in *Ireland*, tranſlated to the See of *Elphin* vacant by the Death of Dr. *Digby*. And Dr. *Cobbe* Dean of *Ardagh* made Biſhop of *Killala* and *Achonry*.

Dr. *Brydges* Brother to the Duke of *Chandois* made Arch-Deacon and Prebendary of *Rocheſter*, in the room of Mr. *Spratt* deceas'd.

24. Earl of *Sunderland* inſtall'd Knight Companion of the moſt Noble Order of the Garter, in the Royal Chappel of St. *George* within the College of the Caſtle of *Windſor*, by the Dukes of *Newcaſtle* and *Kingſton*, Knights Companions of the ſaid Order, commiſſion'd thereto by the Sovereign, under the Great-Seal of the Order. The Atchievements of the late Duke of *Schomberg* were firſt offer'd by the Knights Commiſſioners; and when all the uſual Ceremonies had been performed in the Chappel, the Proceſſion was made from thence through the Great South-Door of the Church up to the Caſtle, and the Knights Companions and Officers of the Order, the Foreign Ambaſſadors, with a great Number of the Nobility, and other Perſons of Quality and Diſtinction, were ſplendidly entertain'd at Dinner in the Council-Chamber.

Richard Bealing Eſq; made Regiſter of Ships in the Port of *London*, in the room of *Thomas Robinſon* Eſq;

Dy'd Mr. *Sedgwick* Clerk of the Jewel-Office.

25. Dy'd Sir *Gregory Page* Knt. and Bart. Member of Parliament for *New-Shoreham* in *Com. Suſſex*.

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May 25. *Joshua Churchill* Esq; appointed a Commissioner of the Victualling-Office, in the room of *Owen Buckingham* Esq; deceas'd.

Henry Pelham Esq; Member of Parliament for *Seaford* in *Com. Sussex*, appointed Treasurer of the Chamber, in the room of the Earl of *Radnor*.

27. Sir *William Strickland* Bart. Member of Parliament for *Old Sarum* in *Com. Wilts*, appointed Commissary-General of the Musters, in the room of Mr. *Hyde* deceas'd.

28. Being His Majesty's Birth-Day, there was a very numerous and splendid Appearance at Court of the Nobility and other Persons of Distinction; and at Night there were Illuminations, Bonfires, and all other Publick Demonstrations of Joy throughout *London* and *Westminster*, suitable to so happy an Occasion.

Dr. *Bland* Chaplain of *Chelsea-Hospital*, elected Head-Master of *Eaton-School*, in the room of Dr. *Snape*.

Captain *Steward* appointed His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary to the Emperor of *Fez* and *Morocco*.

29. Marchioness of *Annandale* Brought to Bed of a Son.

Bryan Fairfax Esq; appointed Deputy-Treasurer of the Chamber.

Dy'd *Duncan Dee* Esq; Common Serjeant of the City of *London*.

Dy'd Mr. *Thomas Willymot* one of the Proctors of the Arches Court of *Canterbury*.

Major *Brown* of *Bowles*'s Regiment kill'd in a Duel in *Ireland* by Mr. *Wholagan*.

Sir *Ro*

May 30. Sir *Robert Sutton* His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the most Christian King, set out for *Paris*.

Herbert-Rudhall Westphaling Esq; Sir *Richard Fowler* Bart. *Francis Whichcote*, *Robert Hitch*, *Owen Merriott*, *Grey-James Grove*, and *William Young* Esqrs. appointed Commissioners for Stating and Determining the Debts due to the Army, *&c.*

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Foreign Affairs this Month.

On the 15th, *Frederick* Hereditary Prince of *Hesse-Cassel* was Crown'd King of *Sweden* in the Church of St. *Nicholas* at *Stockholm* by the Arch-Bishop of *Upsal*.

An Arrêt of the King's Council of State publish'd at *Paris*, for Deferring to the 1st of *July* the Diminution on the Money which was to have begun on the 1st Instant, and for making Current again the several Coins of Gold and Silver, which had been prohibited, and for allowing all Persons to import Gold or Silver Custom free.

The Imperial and *Spanish* Armies decamped, the Magistrates of the City of *Palermo* taking the Oaths of Fidelity and Allegiance to the Emperor.

Count *Virmont* the Imperial Ambassador at *Constantinople*, set out from thence on his Return home.

This Month dy'd the Duchess of *Zell* Mother-in-Law to His Majesty.

Dr. *Dun-*

June 3. Dr. *Dunſtar* made Prebendary of *Sarum*, in the room of Mr. *Hinton* deceas'd.

Edward Young Eſq; appointed a Commiſſioner for the Affairs of Taxes, in the room of *Nicholas Vincent* Eſq; And

Charles Withers Eſq; appointed Surveyor-General of all His Majeſty's Woods, Foreſts, *&c.* on both ſides *Trent*, in the room of *Edward Young* Eſq;

The Earl of *Carnwath* marry'd to a Daughter of *Alexander Urquhart* Eſq;

M. *Weſſeloftski* Reſident from the Czar of *Muſcovy*, being recall'd by His Maſter, had a Private Audience of Leave of His Majeſty.

11. His Majeſty was pleas'd to give the Royal Aſſent to

An Act for Laying a Duty upon Wrought Plate, and for applying Money ariſing from the clear Produce by Sale of the Forfeited Eſtates, towards anſwering His Majeſty's Supply, and for taking off the Draw-backs upon Hops exported from Ireland, *and for Payment of Annuities to be purchas'd after the Rate of* 4 l. per Centum, per Annum, *at the Exchequer, redeemable by Parliament; and for appropriating Supplies granted in this Seſſion of Parliament, and to prevent Counterfeiting Receipts and Warrants of the Officers of the* South-Sea *Company, and for explaining a late Act concerning Foreign Salt Cellered and Locked up before the* 24*th of* June 1719. *and to give a further Time for paying Duties on certain Apprentices Indentures, and for Relief of* Thomas Vernon *Eſq; in relation to a Parcel of* Senna *imported in the Year* 1716. *An*

June 11. *An Act for Better ſecuring certain Powers and Privileges intended to be granted by His Majeſty, by Two Charters for Aſſurance of Ships and Merchandiſe at Sea, and for lending Money upon Bottomree, and for reſtraining ſeveral extravagant and unwarrantable Practices therein mentioned.*

An Act for the Better Explaining the Nature of Conveyances to be made to the Purchaſers of the Forfeited Eſtates by the Commiſſioners and Truſtees acting in Scotland, *and for Preventing Difficulties in Determining Claims on the ſaid Eſtates, and to Enable the Judges in* Ireland *to Examine Witneſſes relating to Claims on Forfeited Eſtates there, and for Enabling ſuch Corporations as ſhall purchaſe any of the ſaid Eſtates, to grant Annuities not exceeding the yearly Value of the ſaid Eſtates, and for Relieving the Widow and Daughters of the late Sir* Donald Mac-Donald.

An Act for Preventing Frauds and Abuſes in the Publick Revenues of Exciſe, Cuſtoms, Stamp-Duties, Poſt-Office, and Houſe-Money.

An Act for Appointing Commiſſioners to Examine, State, and Determine the Debts due to the Army, and to Examine and State the Demands of ſeveral Foreign Princes and States for Subſidies during the late War.

An Act for Preventing of Frauds and Abuſes in the Allowances on Damaged Wines, and for Lengthening the Time for the Drawbacks on the Importation of Wines.

An Act for Prohibiting the Importation of Raw Silk and Mohair Yarn, of the Product or Manufacture of Aſia, from any Ports or Places in the Streights or Levant *Seas, except*

June 11. except such Ports and Places as are within the Dominions of the Grand Seignior.

An Act for the further Preventing of Robbery, Burglary, and other Felonies, and for the more effectual Transportation of Felons.

An Act for Making Perpetual so much of an Act made in the Tenth Year of the Reign of Queen Anne, for the Reviving and Continuing several Acts therein mentioned, as relates to the Building and Repairing County Goals; and also an Act of the Eleventh and Twelfth Years of the Reign of King William III. for the more effectual Suppressing of Pyracy; and for making more effectual the Act of the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of King Charles II. Intituled, An Act for Establishing Articles and Orders for the Regulating and Better Government of His Majesty's Ships of War and Forces by Sea.

An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, and for the more easy Discharge of Bankrupts out of Execution, after their Certificates allowed.

An Act to Explain and Amend an Act passed in the First Year of His Majesty's Reign, Intituled, An Act to Encourage the Planting of Timber-Trees, Fruit-Trees, and other Trees, for Ornament, Shelter, or Profit, and for the better Preservation of the same, and for the Preventing the Burning of Woods, and for the better Preservation of the Fences of such Woods.

An Act to Repeal so much of the Act, Intituled, An Act for Preventing Frauds and Regulating Abuses in His Majesty's Customs, passed in the Thirteenth and Fourteenth

June 11. teenth Years of King Charles II. as relates to the prohibiting the Importation of Deal-Boards and Fir-Timber from Germany.

An Act for Aſcertaining the Breadths, and preventing Frauds and Abuſes in Manufacturing Serges, Pladings, and Fingrums, and for Regulating the Manufactures of Stockins in that Part of Great-Britain called Scotland.

An Act for Enlarging the Term granted by an Act in the Fourth Year of His Majeſty's Reign, Intituled, An Act for Repairing the Highways leading from the *Stones-End* in *Kent-ſtreet*, to the *Lime-Kilns* in *Eaſt-Greenwich* near *Black-Heath*, and to *Lewiſham-Church*, being the *Tunbridge* Road in the County of *Kent*; and for Repairing and Amending the Highways and Roads leading from the Weſtminſter-Ferry in the Pariſh of Lambeth in the County of Surrey, to New-Croſs in the Pariſh of Deptford in the County of Kent; and for Enlarging the the Term granted by an Act paſſed in the Fourth Year of His Majeſty's Reign, Intituled, An Act for Amending the Roads from the City of *London* to the Town of *Eaſt Grinſtead* in the County of *Suſſex*, and to *Sutton* and *Kingſton* in the County of *Surrey*; and for Explaining and Amending the ſame Acts.

And to ſeveral Private Acts.

After which His Majeſty was pleaſed to make a moſt gracious Speech, and to prorogue the Parliament to the 28th of *July*.

A Proclamation publiſhed, for putting in Execution *An Act for the better Securing certain Powers and Privileges intended to*

June 11. *be granted by His Majesty by Two Charters for Assurance of Ships and Merchandises at Sea and for Lending Money on Bottomry; and for Restraining several extravagant and unwarrantable Practices therein mentioned.*

About this time, M. *Bestugof* Resident from the Czar of *Muscovy*, had his first Private Audience of His Majesty, to deliver his Credential Letters.

He had likewise Private Audiences of the Prince and Princess of *Wales*.

His Majesty in Council declared,

Charles Viscount *Townshend*, Lord President of the Council.

Evelyn Duke of *Kingston*, Lord Privy Seal.

Charles Duke of *Grafton*, Lord Lieutenant of the Kingdom of *Ireland*.

His Majesty likewise declared His Intention to go out of the Kingdom for a short time, and was pleas'd to nominate

His Grace *William* Lord Arch-Bishop of *Canterbury*,

Thomas Lord *Parker* Lord High Chancellor,

Charles Lord Viscount *Townshend* Lord President,

Evelyn Duke of *Kingston* Lord Privy Seal,

John Duke of *Argyle* Lord Steward,

Thomas Duke of *Newcastle* Lord Chamberlain,

Charles Duke of *Grafton* Lord Lieutenant of *Ireland*,

Charles Duke of *Bolton*,

William Duke of *Devonshire*,

John Duke of *Marlborough* Captain-General,

John

June 11. *John* Duke of *Roxburgh* one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State,
Charles Earl of *Sunderland* firſt Commiſſioner of the Treaſury,
James Earl of *Berkeley* firſt Commiſſioner of the Admiralty,
James Earl *Stanhope* one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, And
James Craggs Eſq; alſo one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State;
To be Lords Juſtices for the Adminiſtration of the Government during His Majeſty's Abſence.

Lionel Earl of *Dorſet* and *Middleſex*, created Duke of *Dorſet*.

Scroop Earl of *Bridgewater*, Marquis of *Brackley* and Duke of *Bridgewater*.

James Viſcount *Caſtleton* Earl *Caſtleton*.

Hugh Boſcawen Eſq; Baron *Boſcawen* and Viſcount *Falmouth*.

John Wallop Eſq; Baron *Wallop* and Viſcount *Lymmington*.

Matthew-Ducie Moreton Eſq; Baron *Ducie de Moreton*.

John Barrington Eſq; Baron and Viſcount *Barrington* of the Kingdom of *Ireland*.

William Vane Eſq; Baron and Viſcount *Vane*.

Thomas Gage Eſq; Baron *Caſtlebar* and Viſcount *Gage* of the ſaid Kingdom.

John Blunt of the City of *London*, Eſq; a Baronet of *Great-Britain*.

Sir *William Chapman* of *London*, a Baronet of *Great-Britain*.

Philip Yorke Eſq; Solicitor-General, Knighted.

June 11. *Charles* Earl of *Sunderland*, *John Aiſlabie*, and *George Bailie*, Eſqrs. Sir *Charles Turner* Knt. and *Richard Edgecomb* Eſq; appointed Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury.

Thomas Earl of *Weſtmorland*, *John Chetwynd* Eſq; Sir *Charles Cook* Knt. *Paul Docminique*, *Thomas Pelham*, *Daniel Pulteney*, *Martin Bladen*, and *John Aſh* Eſqrs. appointed Commiſſioners for Trade and Plantation.

Paul Methuen Eſq; Member of Parliament for *Brackley* in *Com. Northampton*, made Comptroller of His Majeſty's Houſhold.

Robert Walpole Eſq; Member of Parliament for *Kingſlynn* in *Com. Norfolk*, appointed Pay-maſter of His Majeſty's Forces.

The Duke of *Queensberry* made one of the Gentlemen of His Majeſty's Bed-chamber.

The Lord *Harold* made one of the Gentlemen of His Majeſty's Bed-chamber.

Sir *Wilfred Lawſon* Bart. Member of Parliament for *Burrow-Brigg* in *Com. York*, made one of the Grooms of His Majeſty's Bed-chamber.

William Morgan of *Tredegar* Eſq; made Lieutenant of the Counties of *Monmouth* and *Brecknock*.

George Dodington Eſq; made Lieutenant and *Cuſtos Rotulorum* of *Com. Somerſet*.

Colonel *Charles Churchill* Member of Parliament for *Caſtle-Riſing* in *Com. Norfolk*, appointed Governor of the Royal Hoſpital at *Chelſea*.

The Nation, which had ſuffered ſome Months paſt, and was now upon the Verge of Ruin, by the miſchievous and dangerous Projects,

June 11. Projects of ill-designing Persons, who, under the false Pretences of Publick Good, drew in unwary Persons to subscribe towards raising great Sums of Money, (a List of which Projects is subjoin'd) was now, by the timely Interposition of the King and Parliament, relieved by an Act of Parliament and Proclamation for the effectual Suppression of the said illegal Practices.

1 Grand Fishery of *Great-Britain.*
2 Royal Fishery of *England.*
3 National Fishery.
4 Whale Fishery to *Greenland.*
5 Whale Fishery in *Davis's Streights.*
6 *Greenland* Trade.
7 Buying, Building, and Letting Ships to Freight.
8 Sowing Hemp and Flax.
9 Making Sail-Cloth.
10 Manufacturing Sail-Cloth and fine Holland.
11 Cotton and Silk Manufactures.
12 General Insurance from Fire.
13 *Ditto.*
14 *Harbourg* Company.
15 Importation of Timber from *Germany.*
16 Salt Works.
17 Planting and Rearing Madder-Wood for Dyers.
18 Preparing and Curing *Virginia* Tobacco for Snuff.
19 Importation of *Swedish* Iron.
20 Supplying *London* with Sea-Coal.
21 Building and Rebuilding Houses.
22 Making of Muslin.
23 Improving the *British* Allum-Works.

June 11.

24 Settling the Iſland of *Blanco* and *Sal Tortugas.*
25 Supplying the Town of *Deal* with Freſh Water.
26 Buying and Importing Holland, Lace, *&c.*
27 Improvement of Lands.
28 Encouraging the Breed of Horſes.
29 Improving Glebe and Church Lands.
30 Repairing and Rebuilding Parſonage and Vicarage Houſes.
31 Making Iron and Steel.
32 Improving Land in *Flintſhire.*
33 Purchaſing Land to Build on.
34 Trading in Hair.
35 Erecting Salt-Pans in *Holy-Iſland.*
36 Buying and Selling Eſtates, Lending Money on Mortgages, *&c.*
37 Carrying on an Undertaking of Great Advantage.
38 Paving the Streets of *London.*
39 Furniſhing Funerals.
40 Buying and Selling Lands, and Lending Money at Intereſt.
41 Royal Fiſhery of *Great-Britain.*
42 Aſſurance of Seamens Wages.
43 Erecting Loan-Offices.
44 Purchaſing and Leaſing Improveable Lands.
45 Importing Pitch and Tar.
46 The Cloathing, Felt, and Pantile Trade.
47 Inſuring of Horſes.
48 Exporting the Woollen Manufacture, and Importing Braſs, Iron, *&c.*
49 Grand Diſpenſary.
50 Purchaſing Lead-Mines, and Erecting Mills to Mill Lead.

51 Im-

June 11.

51 Improving the Art of Soap-making.
52 Settlement on the Iſland of *Santa Cruz*.
53 Sinking Pits and Melting Lead Oar in *Derbyſhire*.
54 Making Glaſs and Glaſs-Bottles.
55 A Wheel for Perpetual Motion.
56 Improving Gardens.
57 Improving and Inſuring Childrens Fortunes.
58 Negotiating Buſineſs for Merchants, and Entring and Loading their Goods at the Cuſtom-Houſe, *&c.*
59 Carrying on the Woollen Manufacture.
60 Importing Walnut-Tree from *Virginia*.
61 Thread and Cotton Trade, *&c.*
62 Making *Joppa* and *Caſtile* Soap.
63 Iron and Steel Manufactures, *&c.*
64 Dealing in Lace, Holland, and Cambrick, *&c.*
65 Trading in and Improving the Manufactures of this Kingdom in general.
66 Supplying the *London* Markets with Cattle.
67 Making Looking-Glaſſes, *&c.*
68 Tin and Lead Mines in *Cornwall*.
69 Making Rape-Oil.
70 Importing Beaver, Fur, *&c.*
71 Making Paſt-Board, Packing-Paper, *&c.*
72 Importing Oil.
73 Improving and Encreaſing the Silken Manufacture.
74 Lending Money on Publick Securities.
75 Paying Penſions to Widows at ſmall Diſcount.
76 Improving Malt Liquors.
77 *American* Fiſhery.

78 Pur-

June 11.

78 Purchaſing and Improving Fenny Lands.
79 Improving the Paper Manufacture.
80 Bottomry.
81 Drying Malt by Hot Air.
82 An *American* Trade.
83 Making Bays.
84 Buying Naval Stores, *&c.*
85 Employing Poor Artificers.
86 Improvement of Tillage.
87 Improvement of the Breed of Horſes.
88 Inſuring of Horſes.
89 Carrying on the Corn Trade
90 Inſuring Maſters and Miſtreſſes from Loſs by Servants.
91 Erecting Hoſpitals for Maintaining Baſtard Children.
92 Bleaching Sugar.
93 Turn-pikes and Wharfs.
94 Inſuring from Thefts and Robberies.
95 Extracting Silver from Lead.
96 Making *China* and *Delft* Ware.
97 Importing Tobacco, and Exporting it again to *Sweden.*
98 Making Iron with Pit-Coal.
99 Furniſhing *London* and *Weſtminſter* with Hay and Straw.
100 Making Sail and Packing Cloth in *Ireland.*
101 Taking up Ballaſt.
102 Fitting out Ships to Suppreſs Pyrates.
103 Importing Timber from *Wales.*
104 Rock Salt.
105 Tranſmutation of Quick-ſilver into a Malleable fine Metal.
106 Radiſh Oil.

107 Erect-

June 11. 107 Erecting Neceſſary-Houſes in *North-Britain.*
108 Emptying *Ditto.*
And many others.

The Sums propoſed to be raiſed by theſe Projects, at a moderate Computation, amounted to 300,000,000 *l.* a Sum far exceeding the Value of all the Lands in *England.*

13. Sir *Marcus Beresford* of the Kingdom of *Ireland*, Barr. created Baron *Beresford*, and Viſcount *Tyrone* in the ſaid Kingdom.

The Lord *Kingſale* being preſented to His Majeſty, had the Honour to kiſs His Majeſty's Hand, and to aſſert the ancient Right of his Family, of being Cover'd in the King's Preſence.

14. In the Evening His Majeſty went from St. *James*'s to *Greenwich*, and early on the

15. Embarked on the *Caroline* Yacht for *Holland.*

15. The Earl of *Stair* His Majeſty's late Ambaſſador at the Court of *France*, arrived in *London.*

18. The Lord Arch-Biſhop of *Canterbury*, with the other Lords Juſtices, met at *Whitehall*, and open'd their Commiſſion.

About this time dy'd *William Carr* Eſq; a Commiſſioner of the Exciſe. And

The Earl of *Dundonnald.*

Major *Pyott* made Lieutenant-Colonel of Brigadier *Munden*'s Dragoons.

Sir *Wil-*

June 18. Sir *William St. Quintin* Bart. Member of Parliament for *Kingſton upon Hull*, made one of the Vice-Treaſurers of *Ireland*.

John Warburton Eſq; appointed *Somerſet* Herald, in the room of *Samuel Stebbing* Eſq; deceas'd.

Henry Grey Eſq; Nephew of the late Lord *Grey*, marry'd to a Grand-daughter of the late Lord *Griffin*.

Horatio Walpole Eſq; appointed Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of *Ireland*.

Lord *Glenorchy* Son to the Earl of *Broadalbin* and Maſter of the Horſe to the Young Princeſſes, appointed Ambaſſador to the Court of *Denmark*, in the room of the Lord *Polwarth*.

Dy'd *Henry-Charles Howard* Eſq; Uncle to the Duke of *Norfolk*.

Robert Cornwall Eſq; created a Baronet of *Great-Britain*.

Edward Elliot Eſq; a Commiſſioner of the Victualling-Office, appointed a Commiſſioner of the Exciſe-Office; and ſucceeded in his former Commiſſion by *Henry Cartwright* Eſq; Member of Parliament for *Boſſiney* in *Cornwall*.

——— *Whitworth* Eſq; the *Britiſh* Miniſter at the *Hague*, marry'd to Mrs. *Salengre*.

John Moleſworth Eſq; appointed His Majeſty's Envoy Extraordinary to the King of *Sardinia*.

Captain *Wilſon* wounded by Sir *Baſil Firebraſs*, with a Penknife, at Sir *Baſil*'s Lodgings; upon which he was committed to *Newgate*.

Mr. *White*

June 18. Mr. *White* a Box-keeper at the Theatre in *Lincoln's-Inn-Fields*, found murder'd at a Houſe in *Poland-ſtreet*; upon which a Man and two Women belonging to the Houſe, were committed to *Newgate*: The Man on his Tryal was found Guilty of Manſlaughter, and the Women acquitted, it appearing he was kill'd in a Duel.

20. The Parliament of *Ireland* prorogued to the 20th of *September*.

22. Dy'd the Widow of Sir *Charles Hobſon* late Sheriff of this City.

Joſeph Andrews Eſq; made Treaſurer to the Pay-Maſter-General of His Majeſty's Forces, in the room of Mr. *Strahan*.

23 *John Lingard* Eſq; choſen Common Serjeant of the City of *London*, in the room of *Duncan Dee* Eſq; deceas'd.

Sir *Thomas Wentworth* Bart. marry'd to Sir *Edward Blackett*'s Siſter.

25. Dy'd Dr. *John Broughton* Vicar of *Kingſton* in *Surrey*, and Lecturer of St. *Andrew*'s *Holborn*.

30. Sir *George Caſwall* Knt. and *William Billers* Eſq; elected Sheriffs of *London*.

Lord *Lempſter* marry'd to a Grand-daughter of the late Lord-Chancellor *Jeffreys*.

Arthur Sheppard Eſq; Blanch Lyon, Purſuivant Extraordinary at Arms, appointed Secretary to the Earl-Marſhal, and Regiſter of the Herald-Office.

South-Sea Stock 930.

Foreign

Foreign Affairs this Month.

June. Several of Cardinal *Alberoni's* Servants (at the Pope's Requisition) seiz'd at *Parma*, together with the Papers of the Prebendary *Bettramini* (an Intimate of the Cardinals, who, upon Advice of that Prelate's Disgrace, made his Escape from *Parma*) and sent to *Rome*.

At *Paris*, M. *D'Argenson* Keeper of the Seals, remov'd, and M. *D'Agueſſeau* reinstated in his Place.

About this time the late Earl of *Mar* was set at Liberty by the Regency of *Geneva*, with Consent of His *Britannick* Majesty.

The King of *Prussia* arrived at the *Hague* Incognito.

On the 24th, the *Russian* Troops burnt *Uma* the chief Town of the Province of *Wester-Bothnia* in *Sweden*, together with Eighteen small Villages which lay within twelve or fifteen Leagues of that Place: They likewise, at some Places, massacred the Poor People in a barbarous manner.

On the 28th, the King of *Great-Britain* arrived at *Schonhoven* in his Way to *Hanover*.

Twenty nine Men and fourteen Women Prisoners in the Inquisition at *Lisbon*, being accused of *Molinism* or *Judaism*, two of them, a Man and a Woman, were burnt for the last of those Crimes.

About

June. About this time dy'd in *France*, Mr. *Harcourt* Son of the Lord *Harcourt*.

Dy'd at *Leige*, *William Pen* Esq; Son of the famous Sir *Willian Pen* Proprietor and Governor of *Pensilvania*.

July 1. *Oswald Mosely* of *Com. Stafford*, Esq; created a Baronet.

3. Dy'd Captain *Boyle* Commander of His Majesty's Ship *Worcester*, in the *Baltick*.

The Reverend Mr. *Arrowsmith* Curate of *Streatham*, made Rector of St. *Olave Hart-street*, in the room of Mr. *Turton* deceas'd.

The Reverend Mr. *Baker* chosen Lecturer of St. *Mildred Bread-street*.

Dy'd at *Dublin*, the Lord Chief Justice *Forster* of that Kingdom.

Dy'd Mr. *Parsell* Head-Master of *Merchant-Taylors* School. And

Rowland Tryon Esq;

5. Sir *William Saunderson* Gentleman-Usher of the Black Rod, created a Baronet.

The Reverend Mr. *Lamotte* appointed Chaplain to the First Troop of Guards.

9. The Honourable *George Mordaunt* Esq; marry'd to Mrs. *Collier*.

The Reverend Mr. *Abbot* chosen Lecturer of St. *Andrew's Holborn*, in the room of Dr. *Broughton* deceas'd.

Captain *Oliver* made Deputy-Governor of *Windsor-Castle*, in the room of Captain *Pitts*.

12. Dy'd Dr. *Simon Louth*, Aged Eighty Years.

Dr. *Smith* chosen Head-Master of *Merchant-Taylors* School.

July 15. Captain *Maurice Fitz-Gerald* Convicted for murdering *Peter Perry* a Watchman in the *Strand*, and was ſoon after (notwithſtanding great Interceſſion was made for his Life) purſuant to his Sentence, executed at *Tyburn*.

19. Dy'd in *Newgate* Mr. *Lawrence Howell*.

The Reverend Dr. *Waugh* Lecturer of St. *Peter's Cornhill*, made Dean of the Cathedral of *Glouceſter*, in the room of Dr. *Chetwood* deceas'd.

Dy'd the Lord *Strathnaver* only Son of the Earl of *Sutherland*.

21. *Horatio Walpole* Eſq; marry'd to Mrs. *Lombard*.

Sir *Francis Daſhwood* marry'd to a Daughter of the Lord *Windſor*.

22. Dy'd Dr. *Braithwayt* Warden of *New-College*, *Oxon*.

23. Dy'd Lieutenant-General *Erle*.

Dy'd at *Dublin* Mr. *Joſeph Aſhberry* Maſter of the Play-houſe there.

26. Prince of *Wales* choſen Governor of the Company of Copper-Miners in *England*.

Dy'd Mr. *John Dubordieu* a celebrated Preacher among the *French* Refugees.

28. The Parliament met at *Weſtminſter*, and were farther prorogued to the 15th of *Auguſt*.

Mrs. *Powell* the Primer diſcharg'd out of the Cuſtody of a Meſſenger.

Lord Viſcount *Mountacute* marry'd to a Daughter of Sir *John Webb*.

Dr. *Dolben* (only Son of Sir *Gilbert Dolben* Bart.) Golden Prebendary of *Durham*, marry'd to a Daughter of the Lord *Digby*.

South-Sea Stock 1050.

Foreign

Foreign Affairs this Month.

July 28. On the 13th, the Queen of *Pruſſia* was Brought to Bed of a Princeſs, chriſten'd *Louiſa-Ulrica*.

Dy'd at the *Hague*, M. *Heinſius* Grand-Penſionary to the States-General, in the 80th Year of his Age.

The End of the Sixth Year of King GEORGE's *Reign.*

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